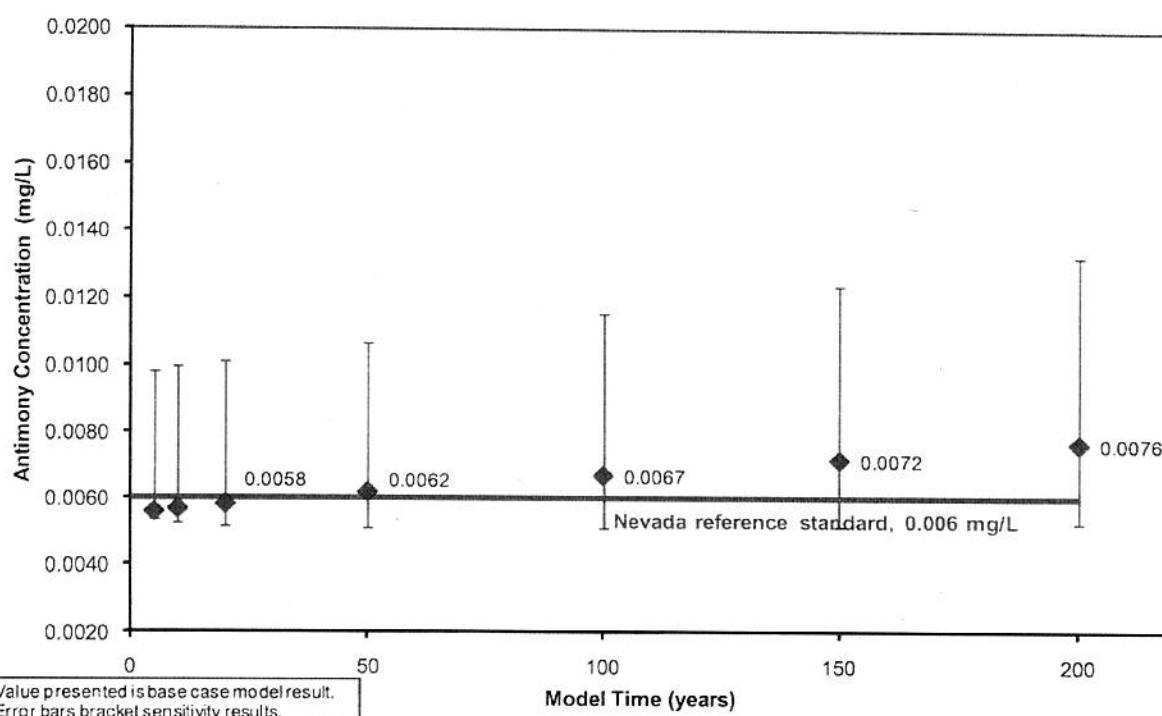
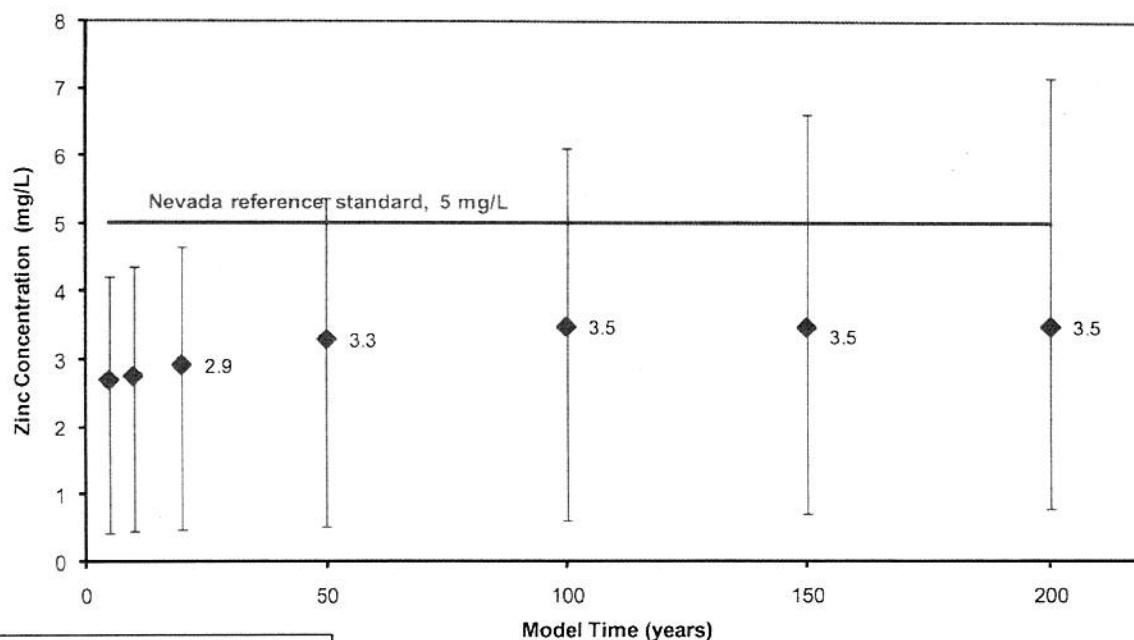


## Antimony



## Zinc



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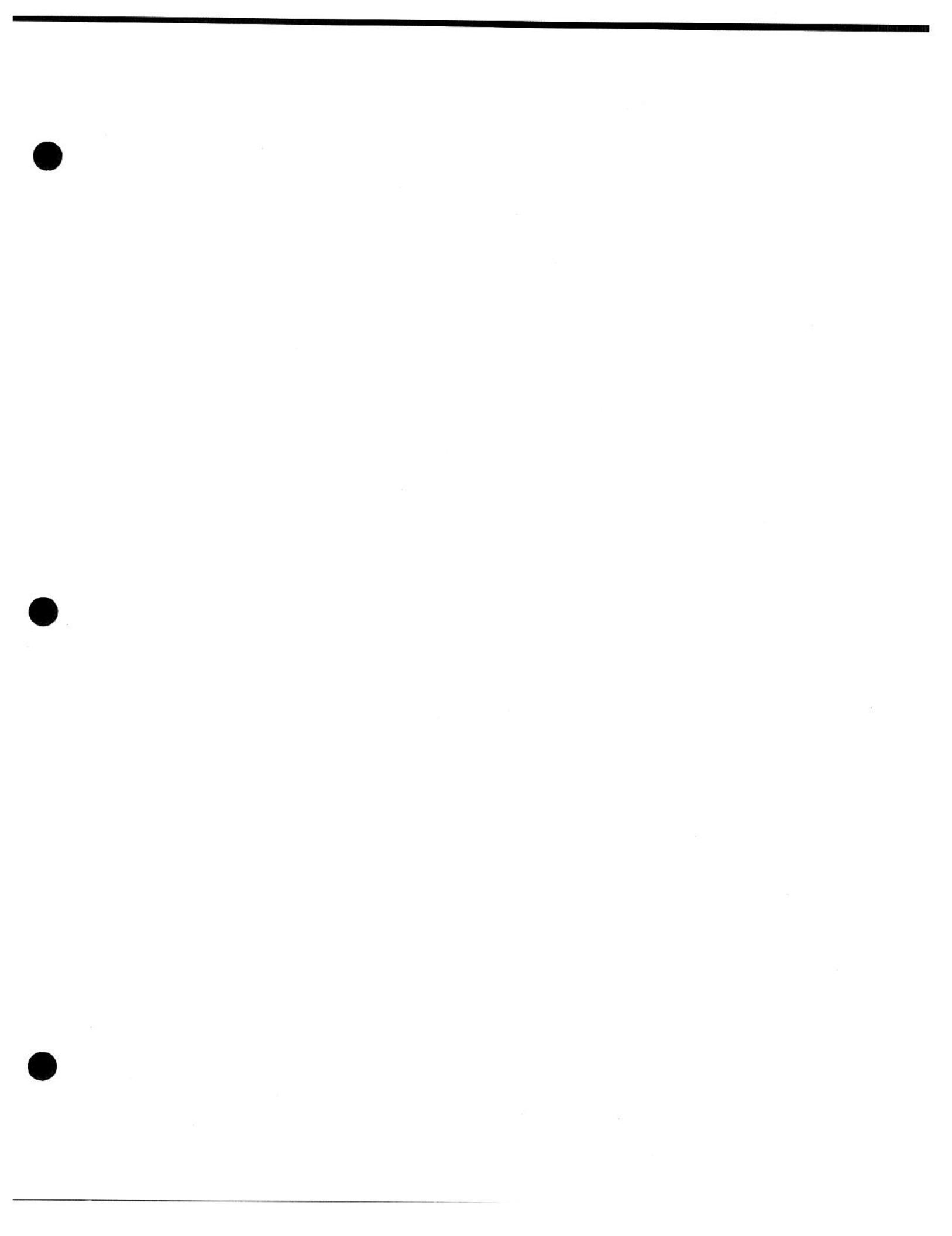
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## **7 SUMMARY AND IMPLICATIONS FOR MINING**

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Post-closure water quality of the Mount Hope pit lake was evaluated based on the revised, local hydrogeologic model for the pit (Interflow and Montgomery, 2010). The water balance model predicts the final pit lake will act as a groundwater and surface water hydraulic sink, or "terminal lake", that is, that both groundwater and surface water gradients will be directed towards the pit both during filling and under long-term equilibrium conditions. Based on this result, no discharge from the lake is expected to occur.

The conceptual model developed for the Mount Hope pit lake geochemical predictions takes into account unique and site-specific geological, geochemical, and hydrologic factors. The conceptual model for pit filling includes direct precipitation onto the pit lake surface, pit wall runoff, and groundwater inflow. In addition, the geochemical model considers addition of solute introduced during pit wall submergence (i.e., flushing of solutes from the pit wall as the lake rises and lake water inundates the damaged rock zone of the wall). Detailed site-specific geological and geochemical data were used to characterize the influence of pit wall runoff and flushing (submergence), accounting for reaction with oxidized and weathered pit walls; scaled laboratory kinetic test data were used for this purpose. Only a small portion of the pit wall rock is considered potentially acid-generating; therefore, the pit wall rock runoff chemistry is dominated by rinsing of non-acid generating rock types. The only outflow from the pit lake is evaporation from the pit lake surface.

The geochemical model was used to predict pit lake chemistry at several time steps, ranging from 5 to 200 years post-closure, by mixing waters from the various inflow sources, evapoconcentrating the mixture, and then allowing the resulting water to equilibrate with specified mineral and gas species.

The base case simulation for the Mount Hope pit lake was designed to predict the most likely condition of future pit lake water quality. Because the pit lake is expected to act as a hydraulic sink, there will be no discharge from the pit to either groundwater or surface water; however, the pit lake water quality results have been compared to Nevada reference standards, for reference purposes only. These pit lake water quality predictions have been evaluated in terms of ecological risk, and are presented in a separate SLERA report (SRK, 2010).

The pH of the pit lake is predicted to be neutral to slightly alkaline, with a pH of approximately 7.7 su, throughout pit filling to 200 years post-closure. Total alkalinity is predicted to be present initially at moderate concentrations of approximately 55 mg/L as CaCO<sub>3</sub>, and will increase with time. Sulfate concentrations are predicted to be low, ranging between 134 and 214 mg/L over the modeled time period.

Iron and aluminum concentrations are predicted to be below standard detection limits as a result of precipitation of secondary hydroxide mineral phases. Most trace metals/metalloid concentrations are low or below analytical detection; however, concentrations of fluoride, cadmium, and manganese are predicted to be present above Nevada reference standards during early pit lake filling and throughout the modeling period. Antimony concentrations are initially low, but are predicted to increase to just above the reference standard due to this evapoconcentration effect in the late stages of pit filling (by 50 years). In general, constituent concentrations in the pit lake are predicted to increase over time due to evapoconcentration.

Key model variables were modified from the base case to evaluate their sensitivity on predicted pit lake chemistry during the first 200 years of filling. The results of the pit lake water quality predictions were not overly sensitive to these runs in that the pit lake predictions were consistently neutral to slightly alkaline (pH greater than 7.0) with low to moderate alkalinity, and similar constituents of concern identified as exceeding reference standards throughout pit filling. In addition, some of the sensitivity runs identified zinc and thallium (the high TDS groundwater sensitivity model) as slightly exceeding reference standards during late-stage filling due to evapoconcentration in the pit lake. Results of these sensitivity runs do indicate that predicted pit lake water chemistry is mostly influenced by the chemistry of the groundwater and pit wall runoff. This is reflected in the model sensitivity to groundwater inflow contribution, pit wall runoff chemistry scaling, and the use of early-stage versus average HCT concentration data to represent pit wall runoff.

The sources of fluoride to the pit include both groundwater and pit wall rock rinsing. About half of the fluoride contribution from the wall rocks is leached from the quartz aplite porphyry material, exposed near the bottom of the pit. The primary source of antimony is groundwater inflow. In contrast, the only source of cadmium and manganese is pit wall rock flushing. The major contributing area for these constituents is the PAG-classified, argillic rhyolite tuff; this material is located high in the pit on the north to east pit walls.

It should be noted that these predicted concentrations are considered conservative because:

- The amount of PAG material exposed on the pit walls is a conservatively high estimate, due to limited available data in the vicinity of the final pit shell (Section 2.5.3).
- The specific surface area estimate for the pit walls is based on grain size data from waste rock piles; this is considered to be a conservative approximation that takes into consideration the range of grain-size material present in the fractured pit walls as well as the fine-grained materials which, over time, accumulate on pit benches. The effect is in a conservative level of scaling (30 percent decrease) for pit wall runoff chemistry (Section 3.4.2).
- Only a limited number of minerals were allowed (by the model setup) to precipitate in the pit lake, resulting in conservatively high concentrations of some dissolved constituents (Section 4.3.1).
- Various mechanisms of co-precipitation and adsorption, which in nature act to limit trace constituent concentrations, have not been included in the modeling either by design, to maintain conservative assumptions, or because thermodynamic data are not available (or thoroughly defensible) to define the behaviour in the geochemical model (Section 4.3.3).

Overall, water in the proposed pit lake is expected to be of generally good quality over the first 200 years of pit filling, with moderate, long-term alkalinity, low metals concentrations, and neutral to slightly alkaline pH.

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**Appendix A1**  
**Mount Hope final pit shell exposed plan view**  
**surface areas by geologic-geochemical material type**

**Appendix A.1**  
**Mount Hope final pit shell exposed, plan-view surface areas by geologic-geochemical material type**  
*\*Apply percentages to derive chemistry for PIT WALL RUNOFF*

Pit Lake Elevation (ft)	Units	TOTAL	CUMULATIVE, PLAN-VIEW (2-D) PIT WALL EXPOSED ABOVE PIT LAKE ELEVATION													
			Early-phase Quartz Porphyry						Intermediate Phase Quartz Aplitic Porphyry						Rhyolite	
			Silica Quartz Porphyry	Potassic Quartz Porphyry (PAG)	Phylic Quartz Porphyry	Argillite Quartz Porphyry	Biotite Quartz Porphyry	Silica Quartz Aplitic Porphyry	Potassic Quartz Aplitic Porphyry	Biotite Quartz Aplitic Porphyry	Potassic Rhyolite (PAG)	Phylic Rhyolite	Argillite Rhyolite	Argillite Rhyolite (PAG)		
4700	(acres)	728	37.53	129.30	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	54.84	18.07	25.85	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
4750	(acres)	718	37.53	129.30	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	52.34	18.07	18.45	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
4800	(acres)	714	37.53	129.30	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	50.64	18.07	15.95	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
4850	(acres)	708	37.53	129.30	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	46.04	18.07	14.45	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
4900	(acres)	702	37.53	129.30	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	42.27	18.05	12.54	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
4950	(acres)	697	37.53	129.30	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	40.32	18.01	10.13	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5000	(acres)	691	37.53	129.30	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	38.26	17.97	7.15	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5050	(acres)	685	37.53	129.30	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	35.88	17.87	4.75	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5100	(acres)	679	37.53	129.30	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	31.75	17.78	3.61	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5150	(acres)	672	37.52	129.30	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	27.36	17.66	2.82	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5200	(acres)	665	36.66	129.30	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	23.21	17.56	2.06	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5250	(acres)	658	34.39	129.30	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	20.26	17.46	1.32	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5300	(acres)	650	31.10	129.30	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	18.45	17.38	0.65	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5350	(acres)	642	29.29	129.30	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	16.38	17.36	0.00	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5400	(acres)	634	27.35	129.06	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	14.15	17.34	0.00	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5450	(acres)	625	25.37	128.83	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	11.82	17.23	0.00	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5500	(acres)	615	23.30	128.53	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	9.70	15.88	0.00	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5550	(acres)	590	21.54	127.92	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	7.77	16.44	0.00	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5600	(acres)	597	19.87	126.68	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	5.06	15.70	0.00	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5650	(acres)	587	18.42	125.29	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	2.69	14.62	0.00	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5700	(acres)	576	16.40	123.01	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	0.98	13.57	0.00	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5750	(acres)	566	15.34	119.06	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	0.22	12.39	0.00	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5800	(acres)	555	13.93	115.12	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	0.02	11.12	0.00	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5850	(acres)	543	12.56	111.80	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	0.00	8.17	0.00	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5900	(acres)	531	11.64	108.18	5.30	4.87	0.50	0.06	0.00	5.28	0.00	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
5950	(acres)	518	11.14	103.24	4.83	4.87	0.50	0.06	0.00	3.46	0.00	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
6000	(acres)	505	10.62	97.57	4.35	4.87	0.50	0.06	0.00	2.47	0.00	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
6050	(acres)	491	8.83	90.93	4.24	4.87	0.50	0.06	0.00	1.68	0.00	28.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
6100	(acres)	477	7.91	84.69	4.24	4.87	0.50	0.06	0.00	1.01	0.00	28.04	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
6150	(acres)	461	5.64	78.27	4.24	4.87	0.50	0.06	0.00	0.54	0.00	27.50	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
6200	(acres)	444	3.84	69.65	4.24	4.87	0.50	0.06	0.00	0.20	0.00	26.77	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
6250	(acres)	429	2.75	63.43	3.92	4.87	0.50	0.06	0.00	0.01	0.00	25.51	4.30	3.36	68.97	68.70
6300	(acres)	414	1.89	57.92	3.92	4.81	0.50	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	23.49	4.30	3.33	68.97	68.70
6350	(acres)	399	1.17	54.08	3.92	4.79	0.50	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	21.13	3.60	2.72	68.71	68.70
6400	(acres)	383	0.61	50.89	3.92	4.79	0.50	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	17.93	2.89	1.91	67.70	68.70
6450	(acres)	367	0.20	46.81	3.92	4.87	0.42	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	17.11	2.65	1.06	64.82	68.19
6500	(acres)	350	0.00	43.80	3.13	4.79	0.50	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	16.54	2.39	0.28	61.88	67.36
6550	(acres)	332	0.00	40.59	2.32	4.79	0.50	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	15.98	2.05	0.15	59.66	65.34
6600	(acres)	313	0.00	37.67	1.47	4.79	0.50	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	15.42	1.62	0.15	57.63	62.81
6400	(acres)	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Original data provided by SRK, July 2009.

**Appendix A2**  
**Mount Hope final pit shell exposed actual**  
**surface areas by geologic-geochemical material type**

**Appendix A.2**

**Mount Hope final pit shell exposed, actual surface areas by geologic-geochemical material type**  
 \*Apply percentages to derive chemistry for PIT WALL SUBMERGENCE

Pit Lake Elevation (ft)	Units	TOTAL	CUMULATIVE, ACTUAL (3-) PIT WALL EXPOSED BELOW PIT LAKE ELEVATION															
			Early-phase Quartz Porphyry						Intermediate Phase Quartz Aplite Porphyry						Rhyolite			
			Silica Quartz Porphyry	Potassic Quartz Porphyry	Potassic Quartz Porphyry (PAG)	Phyllitic Quartz Porphyry	Phyllic Quartz Porphyry (PAG)	Argillitic Quartz Porphyry	Biotite Quartz Aplite Porphyry	Silica Quartz Aplite Porphyry	Potassic Quartz Aplite Porphyry	Biotite Quartz Aplite Porphyry	Potassic Quartz Aplite Porphyry	Potassic Rhyolite	Potassic Rhyolite (PAG)	Phyllitic Rhyolite	Argillitic Rhyolite	Argillitic Rhyolite (PAG)
4700	(acres)	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4750	(acres)	11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.80	0.00	7.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4800	(acres)	17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	6.50	0.00	10.65	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4850	(acres)	24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10.20	0.00	13.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4900	(acres)	32	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	15.10	0.03	16.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4950	(acres)	40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	19.19	0.09	19.21	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5000	(acres)	49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	21.45	0.15	22.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5050	(acres)	58	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.14	0.31	25.99	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5100	(acres)	65	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	30.86	0.49	27.62	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5150	(acres)	74	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	37.06	0.65	28.88	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5200	(acres)	85	1.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	42.86	0.81	30.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5250	(acres)	95	4.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	46.86	0.96	31.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5300	(acres)	107	8.58	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	49.67	1.09	32.32	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5350	(acres)	118	11.46	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	52.97	1.12	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5400	(acres)	116	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	56.50	1.16	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5450	(acres)	143	17.59	0.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	60.17	1.30	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5500	(acres)	157	20.86	1.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	63.52	1.74	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5550	(acres)	170	23.63	2.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	66.59	2.59	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5600	(acres)	185	26.03	4.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	70.27	3.75	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5650	(acres)	199	28.32	6.32	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	73.41	5.25	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5700	(acres)	215	31.09	9.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	75.86	6.72	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5750	(acres)	230	32.78	14.93	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.06	8.43	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5800	(acres)	246	34.99	20.39	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.99	10.29	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5850	(acres)	263	37.15	25.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	13.97	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5900	(acres)	281	38.62	30.62	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	17.64	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5950	(acres)	299	39.41	37.51	0.74	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	20.13	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6000	(acres)	318	40.20	45.43	1.47	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	21.64	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6050	(acres)	338	42.15	53.47	1.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	22.80	33.37	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6100	(acres)	358	43.38	62.14	1.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	23.95	33.37	0.73	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6150	(acres)	380	45.95	70.95	1.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	24.70	33.37	1.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6200	(acres)	404	48.29	82.06	1.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	25.23	33.37	2.72	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6250	(acres)	425	49.91	90.87	2.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	25.53	33.37	4.53	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6300	(acres)	447	51.28	99.16	2.15	0.09	0.00	0.00	77.41	25.55	33.37	7.82	0.00	0.05	0.01	0.00	0.00	
6350	(acres)	468	52.44	104.78	2.15	0.12	0.00	0.01	77.41	25.55	33.37	11.33	1.09	0.99	0.40	0.00	0.00	
6400	(acres)	491	53.57	109.84	2.15	0.12	0.00	0.01	77.41	25.55	33.37	15.33	2.19	2.26	1.90	0.00	0.00	
6450	(acres)	513	54.03	115.10	2.15	0.12	0.00	0.01	77.41	25.55	33.37	16.55	2.57	3.57	5.59	0.79	0.00	
6500	(acres)	537	54.37	119.80	3.34	0.12	0.00	0.01	77.41	25.55	33.37	17.42	2.97	4.79	9.42	2.02	0.00	
6550	(acres)	562	54.37	124.84	4.58	0.12	0.00	0.01	77.41	25.55	33.37	18.28	3.51	5.00	12.79	4.57	0.00	
6600	(acres)	588	54.37	129.17	5.67	0.12	0.00	0.01	77.41	25.55	33.37	19.13	4.15	5.00	15.87	7.73	0.00	
6400	(acres)	1002	54.37	203.13	11.53	7.26	0.82	0.01	0.11	77.41	25.55	33.37	42.60	6.55	5.23	98.48	95.64	0.00

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Appendix A.2

Mount Hope final pit shell exposed, actual surface areas by geologic-geochemical material type  
\*Apply percentages to derive chemistry for PIT WALL SUBMERGENCE

Pit Lake Elevation (ft)	Units	CUMULATIVE, ACTUAL (3-L) PIT WALL EXPOSED BELOW PIT LAKE ELEVATION															
		Early-phase Quartz Porphyry				Intermediate Phase Quartz Aplitic Porphyry				Rhyolite							
		TOTAL	Silica Quartz Porphyry	Potassic Quartz Porphyry	Potassio Quartz Porphyry (PAG)	Phylic Quartz Porphyry	Phylic Quartz Porphyry (PAG)	Argillite Quartz Porphyry	Biotite Quartz Porphyry	Silica Quartz Aplitic Porphyry	Potassic Quartz Aplitic Porphyry	Biotite Quartz Aplitic Porphyry	Potassic Rhyolite	Potassic Rhyolite (PAG)	Phylic Rhyolite	Argillite Rhyolite	Argillite Rhyolite (PAG)
4700	(acres)	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4750	(acres)	11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.80	0.00	7.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4800	(acres)	17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	6.50	0.00	10.65	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4850	(acres)	24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10.20	0.00	13.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4900	(acres)	32	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	15.10	0.03	16.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4950	(acres)	49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	19.19	0.09	19.21	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5000	(acres)	49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	21.45	0.15	22.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5050	(acres)	58	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.14	0.31	25.99	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5100	(acres)	65	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	30.86	0.49	27.62	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5150	(acres)	74	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	37.06	0.65	28.88	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5200	(acres)	85	1.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	42.86	0.81	30.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5250	(acres)	95	4.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	46.86	0.96	31.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5300	(acres)	107	8.58	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	49.67	1.09	32.32	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5350	(acres)	118	11.46	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	52.97	1.12	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5400	(acres)	116	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	56.50	1.16	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5450	(acres)	143	17.59	0.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	60.17	1.33	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5500	(acres)	157	20.86	1.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	63.52	1.74	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5550	(acres)	170	23.63	2.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	66.59	2.59	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5600	(acres)	185	26.03	4.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	70.27	3.75	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5650	(acres)	199	28.32	6.32	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	73.41	5.25	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5700	(acres)	215	31.09	9.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	75.86	6.72	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5750	(acres)	230	32.78	14.93	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.06	8.43	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5800	(acres)	246	34.99	20.38	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.39	10.29	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5850	(acres)	263	37.15	25.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	13.97	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5900	(acres)	281	38.62	30.62	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	17.64	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5950	(acres)	299	39.41	37.51	0.74	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	20.13	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6000	(acres)	318	40.20	45.43	1.47	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	21.64	33.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6050	(acres)	338	42.15	53.47	1.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	22.80	33.37	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6100	(acres)	358	43.38	62.14	1.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	23.95	33.37	0.73	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6150	(acres)	380	45.95	70.95	1.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	24.70	33.37	1.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6200	(acres)	404	48.29	82.06	1.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	25.23	33.37	2.72	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6250	(acres)	425	49.91	90.87	2.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	77.41	25.53	33.37	4.53	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6300	(acres)	447	51.28	99.16	2.15	0.09	0.00	0.00	77.41	25.55	33.37	7.82	0.00	0.05	0.01	0.00	
6350	(acres)	468	52.44	104.78	2.15	0.12	0.00	0.01	77.41	25.55	33.37	11.33	1.09	0.99	0.40	0.00	
6400	(acres)	491	53.37	109.84	2.15	0.12	0.00	0.01	77.41	25.55	33.37	15.33	2.19	2.26	1.90	0.00	
6450	(acres)	513	54.03	115.10	2.15	0.12	0.00	0.01	77.41	25.55	33.37	16.55	2.57	3.57	5.59	0.79	
6500	(acres)	537	54.37	119.80	3.34	0.12	0.00	0.01	77.41	25.55	33.37	17.42	2.97	4.79	9.42	2.02	
6550	(acres)	562	54.37	124.64	4.58	0.12	0.00	0.01	77.41	25.55	33.37	18.26	3.51	5.00	12.79	4.57	
6600	(acres)	588	54.37	129.17	5.87	0.12	0.00	0.01	77.41	25.55	33.37	19.13	4.15	5.00	15.87	7.73	
6400	(acres)	1002	54.37	203.13	11.53	7.26	0.62	1.27	0.11	77.41	25.55	33.37	42.60	6.55	5.23	98.48	95.64

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**Appendix B**  
**Mount Hope Pit filling water balance results, base case**

**Appendix B Base case pitilling water balance results**

Year	Stage (ft amsl)	FLOW RATES (GPM)							RELATIVE PERCENT FLOWS										
		FLOW RATE per YEAR (gpm)					FLOW RATE per YEAR (gpm)			FLOW RATE per YEAR (percent)				PERCENT TOTAL GW INFLOW					
		Precipitation	Runoff	Groundwater	Total Inflow	Evaporation	Net Inflow	NE	SE	SW	NW	Precipitation	Runoff	Groundwater	Total Inflow	NE	SE	SW	NW
1	4,794.02	6.3	174	235	465	-16	449	71	66	62	85	1.4%	37.4%	61.3%	100.0%	25%	23%	22%	30%
2	4,844.69	10.6	173	271	454	-26	427	57	63	60	81	2.3%	38.0%	59.6%	100.0%	25%	23%	22%	30%
3	4,880.90	14.3	171	264	449	-36	414	65	61	59	78	3.2%	38.1%	58.7%	100.0%	25%	23%	22%	30%
4	4,910.39	17.0	171	258	446	-43	403	64	61	58	76	3.6%	38.2%	57.9%	100.0%	25%	23%	22%	30%
5	4,935.28	19.7	170	254	443	-49	394	62	60	56	75	4.4%	38.3%	57.2%	100.0%	25%	23%	22%	30%
6	4,957.14	21.9	169	250	441	-55	386	61	60	55	73	5.0%	38.4%	56.6%	100.0%	24%	24%	22%	29%
7	4,977.37	23.3	169	246	438	-59	379	60	59	55	73	5.3%	38.5%	56.2%	100.0%	24%	24%	22%	30%
8	4,995.70	25.3	168	243	436	-63	372	59	58	54	72	5.8%	38.6%	55.6%	100.0%	24%	24%	22%	30%
9	5,013.05	26.4	168	239	433	-66	367	59	57	52	71	6.1%	38.7%	55.2%	100.0%	25%	24%	22%	30%
10	5,028.97	28.2	167	236	432	-71	361	59	56	52	70	6.5%	38.7%	54.7%	100.0%	25%	24%	22%	30%
11	5,043.72	30.0	167	233	430	-75	355	58	55	50	70	7.0%	38.8%	54.3%	100.0%	25%	24%	22%	30%
12	5,057.71	31.2	166	231	428	-78	350	57	55	50	69	7.3%	38.8%	53.9%	100.0%	25%	24%	22%	30%
13	5,071.15	32.0	166	228	426	-80	346	56	54	50	68	7.5%	39.0%	53.5%	100.0%	25%	24%	22%	30%
14	5,083.88	33.4	166	226	425	-84	341	55	54	49	68	7.9%	39.0%	53.2%	100.0%	24%	24%	22%	30%
15	5,095.76	35.2	165	224	424	-88	336	55	52	48	68	8.3%	39.0%	52.7%	100.0%	25%	23%	22%	30%
16	5,107.18	36.2	165	222	423	-91	332	55	52	47	67	8.6%	39.0%	52.4%	100.0%	25%	23%	21%	30%
17	5,118.15	37.2	165	220	421	-92	328	55	52	47	66	8.8%	39.0%	52.1%	100.0%	25%	24%	21%	30%
18	5,128.67	38.4	164	218	421	-96	324	54	52	46	66	9.1%	39.0%	51.8%	100.0%	25%	24%	21%	30%
19	5,138.83	39.4	164	216	420	-99	321	54	51	45	65	9.4%	39.0%	51.6%	100.0%	25%	24%	21%	30%
20	5,148.65	39.6	164	215	419	-99	319	54	51	44	65	9.5%	39.2%	51.4%	100.0%	25%	24%	21%	30%
21	5,158.51	40.7	163	213	418	-102	318	54	51	44	65	9.7%	39.1%	51.1%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
22	5,167.77	42.0	163	212	417	-105	312	53	51	43	65	10.1%	39.1%	50.9%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
23	5,176.65	43.2	163	211	417	-108	308	52	51	43	65	10.4%	39.0%	50.6%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
24	5,185.24	44.3	162	210	416	-111	305	53	51	42	64	10.6%	39.0%	50.4%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
25	5,193.67	44.8	162	209	416	-112	303	52	50	42	64	10.8%	39.0%	50.2%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
26	5,201.91	45.5	162	207	415	-114	301	52	50	42	63	11.0%	39.1%	50.0%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
27	5,209.79	46.9	162	206	415	-118	297	53	49	42	63	11.3%	39.0%	49.7%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
28	5,217.45	47.8	161	205	414	-120	294	53	48	42	63	11.5%	38.9%	49.5%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	31%
29	5,224.93	48.6	161	204	414	-122	292	53	48	41	62	11.7%	38.9%	49.3%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	31%
30	5,232.19	49.6	161	203	414	-124	289	54	48	41	61	12.0%	38.9%	49.1%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	30%
31	5,239.25	50.6	161	202	413	-127	287	53	48	40	62	12.2%	38.8%	48.9%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	31%
32	5,246.10	51.5	160	201	413	-129	284	52	47	40	62	12.5%	38.8%	48.7%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	31%
33	5,252.82	52.2	160	200	413	-131	282	51	47	40	62	12.7%	38.8%	48.6%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
34	5,259.51	52.3	160	200	412	-131	281	51	47	40	62	12.7%	38.9%	48.5%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
35	5,266.11	52.6	160	199	411	-132	279	51	47	40	61	12.8%	38.9%	48.3%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
36	5,272.52	53.7	160	198	411	-135	276	51	47	40	60	13.1%	38.8%	48.1%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	31%
37	5,278.77	54.6	159	197	411	-137	274	50	47	37	59	14.5%	38.7%	48.0%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	31%
38	5,284.89	55.3	159	196	410	-139	272	49	46	40	61	13.3%	38.6%	47.9%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
39	5,290.70	55.9	159	195	410	-140	270	49	46	39	61	13.6%	38.8%	47.8%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
40	5,296.72	56.8	159	194	410	-143	267	49	46	39	61	13.9%	38.7%	47.7%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
41	5,302.47	57.7	158	193	410	-145	265	50	46	39	59	14.1%	38.7%	47.2%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	31%
42	5,306.09	58.2	158	193	409	-146	263	50	46	38	59	14.2%	38.7%	47.1%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	31%
43	5,313.64	58.6	158	192	409	-147	262	49	45	38	59	14.4%	38.7%	46.9%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	31%
44	5,319.13	59.0	158	191	408	-148	260	49	45	37	59	14.5%	38.7%	46.8%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	31%
45	5,324.49	59.8	158	190	408	-150	258	49	45	37	59	14.7%	38.7%	46.6%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	31%
46	5,329.66	61.3	157	189	408	-154	254	49	45	37	59	15.0%	38.6%	46.3%	100.0%	25%	23%	20%	31%
47	5,334.74	61.9	157	189	408	-155	253	49	44	38	59	15.2%	38.5%	46.3%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	31%
48	5,339.73	62.5	157	188	407	-157	251	49	42	38	58	15.3%	38.5%	46.1%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	31%
49	5,344.61	63.3	157	187	407	-159	248	50	42	38	58	15.6%	38.5%	46.0%	100.0%	26%	22%	20%	31%
50	5,349.42	63.9	157	186	407	-160	247	49	42	37	58	15.7%	38.5%	45.7%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	31%
51	5,354.16	64.4	157	186	407	-160	248	50	42	37	58	15.8%	38.5%	45.6%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	31%
52	5,358.81	65.0	156	186	406	-161	247	49	42	37	58	16.0%	38.5%	45.5%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
53	5,363.44	65.2	156	185	406	-163	245	48	43	36	59	16.1%	38.5%	45.4%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
54	5,368.02	65.5	156	184	405	-163	243	47	43	36	59	16.2%	38.5%	45.3%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
55	5,372.52	66.1	156	183	406	-164	241	47	43	36	58	16.3%	38.5%	45.2%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
56	5,376.97	66.5	156	182	404	-166	239	47	42	36	58	16.5%	38.5%	45.0%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
57	5,381.33	67.1	156	181	404	-167	237	47	41	35	58	16.6%	38.5%	44.9%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	32%

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Year	Stage (ft amsl)	FLOW RATES (GPM)						RELATIVE PERCENT FLOWS						FLOW RATE per YEAR (gpm)			PERCENT TOTAL GW INFLOW		
		FLOW RATE per YEAR (gpm)			FLOW RATE per YEAR (gpm)			FLOW RATE per YEAR (percent)			PERCENT TOTAL GW INFLOW			Groundwater Inflows by Quadrant (gpm)			Groundwater Inflows by Quadrant		
		Precipitation	Runoff	Groundwater	Total Inflow	Evaporation	Net Inflow	NE	SE	SW	NW	Precipitation	Runoff	Groundwater	Total Inflow	NE	SE	SW	NW
1	4,794.02	6.3	174	285	465	-16	449	71	66	62	85	1.4%	37.4%	61.3%	100.0%	25%	23%	22%	30%
2	4,844.69	10.6	173	271	454	-26	427	67	63	60	81	2.3%	38.0%	59.0%	100.0%	25%	23%	22%	30%
3	4,880.90	14.3	171	264	449	-36	414	65	61	59	78	3.2%	38.1%	58.7%	100.0%	25%	23%	22%	30%
4	4,910.39	17.0	171	258	446	-43	403	64	61	58	76	3.8%	38.2%	57.9%	100.0%	25%	23%	22%	30%
5	4,935.28	19.7	170	254	443	-49	394	62	60	58	75	4.4%	38.3%	57.2%	100.0%	25%	24%	22%	30%
6	4,957.14	21.9	169	250	441	-55	386	61	60	59	73	5.0%	38.4%	56.6%	100.0%	24%	24%	22%	29%
7	4,977.37	23.3	169	246	438	-59	379	60	59	55	73	5.3%	38.5%	56.2%	100.0%	24%	24%	22%	30%
8	4,995.70	25.3	168	243	436	-63	372	59	58	54	72	5.8%	38.6%	55.6%	100.0%	24%	24%	22%	30%
9	5,013.05	26.4	168	239	433	-66	367	59	57	52	71	6.1%	38.7%	55.2%	100.0%	25%	24%	22%	30%
10	5,028.97	28.2	167	236	432	-71	361	59	56	52	70	6.5%	38.7%	54.7%	100.0%	25%	24%	22%	30%
11	5,043.72	30.0	167	233	430	-75	355	58	55	50	69	7.0%	38.8%	54.3%	100.0%	25%	24%	22%	30%
12	5,057.71	31.2	166	231	428	-78	350	57	55	50	69	7.3%	38.6%	53.9%	100.0%	25%	24%	22%	30%
13	5,078.15	32.0	166	228	426	-80	346	56	54	50	68	7.5%	39.0%	53.5%	100.0%	25%	24%	22%	30%
14	5,083.80	33.4	166	226	425	-84	341	55	54	49	68	7.0%	39.0%	53.2%	100.0%	24%	24%	22%	30%
15	5,085.76	35.2	165	224	424	-88	336	55	52	48	68	8.3%	39.0%	52.7%	100.0%	25%	23%	22%	30%
16	5,107.18	36.2	165	222	423	-91	332	55	52	47	67	8.6%	39.0%	52.4%	100.0%	25%	23%	21%	30%
17	5,118.15	37.2	165	220	421	-93	328	55	52	47	66	8.9%	39.0%	52.1%	100.0%	25%	24%	21%	30%
18	5,128.67	38.4	164	218	421	-96	324	54	52	46	66	9.1%	39.0%	51.8%	100.0%	25%	24%	21%	30%
19	5,138.83	39.4	164	216	420	-99	321	54	51	45	65	9.4%	39.0%	51.6%	100.0%	25%	24%	21%	30%
20	5,148.85	39.6	164	215	418	-99	319	54	51	44	65	9.5%	39.2%	51.4%	100.0%	25%	24%	21%	30%
21	5,158.51	40.7	163	213	418	-102	316	54	51	44	65	9.7%	39.1%	51.1%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
22	5,167.77	42.0	163	212	417	-105	312	53	51	43	66	10.1%	39.1%	50.9%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
23	5,176.65	43.2	163	211	417	-108	308	52	51	43	66	10.4%	39.0%	50.6%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
24	5,185.24	44.3	162	210	416	-111	305	53	51	42	64	10.6%	39.0%	50.4%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
25	5,193.67	44.8	162	209	416	-112	303	52	50	42	64	10.8%	39.0%	50.2%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
26	5,201.91	45.5	162	207	415	-114	301	52	50	42	63	11.0%	39.1%	50.0%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
27	5,209.79	46.9	162	206	415	-118	297	53	49	42	63	11.2%	39.0%	49.8%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
28	5,217.45	47.8	161	205	414	-120	294	53	48	42	63	11.5%	38.9%	49.5%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	31%
29	5,224.93	48.6	161	204	414	-122	292	53	48	41	62	11.7%	39.0%	49.3%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	31%
30	5,232.19	49.6	161	203	414	-124	289	54	48	41	61	12.0%	38.9%	49.1%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	31%
31	5,240.42	50.6	161	202	413	-127	287	53	48	40	62	12.2%	38.8%	48.9%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	30%
32	5,246.10	51.5	160	201	413	-129	284	52	47	40	62	12.5%	38.8%	48.7%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	31%
33	5,252.82	52.2	160	200	413	-131	282	51	47	40	62	12.7%	38.8%	48.6%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
34	5,259.51	52.3	160	200	412	-131	281	51	47	40	62	12.7%	38.9%	48.5%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
35	5,266.11	52.6	160	199	411	-132	279	51	46	40	61	12.8%	38.9%	48.3%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	31%
36	5,272.52	53.7	160	198	411	-135	276	51	47	40	60	13.1%	38.8%	48.1%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	31%
37	5,276.77	54.6	159	197	411	-137	274	50	47	40	61	13.3%	38.8%	47.9%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	30%
38	5,284.89	55.3	159	196	410	-139	272	49	46	40	61	13.5%	38.8%	47.8%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
39	5,290.90	55.9	159	195	410	-140	270	49	46	39	61	13.6%	38.8%	47.6%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
40	5,296.75	56.6	159	194	410	-143	267	49	46	39	61	13.9%	38.7%	47.4%	100.0%	25%	24%	20%	31%
41	5,302.47	57.7	159	193	410	-145	265	50	46	39	59	14.1%	38.7%	47.2%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	31%
42	5,308.09	58.2	158	193	409	-146	263	50	46	38	59	14.2%	38.7%	47.1%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	31%
43	5,313.64	58.6	158	192	409	-147	262	49	45	38	59	14.4%	38.7%	46.9%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	31%
44	5,319.13	59.0	158	191	408	-148	260	49	45	37	59	14.5%	38.7%	46.8%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	31%
45	5,324.49	59.8	158	190	408	-150	258	49	45	37	59	14.7%	38.7%	46.6%	100.0%	26%	24%	20%	31%
46	5,329.66	61.3	157	189	408	-154	254	49	44	38	59	15.0%	38.6%	46.4%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	31%
47	5,334.74	61.9	157	189	408	-155	253	49	43	38	59	15.2%	38.5%	46.3%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	31%
48	5,339.73	62.5	157	188	407	-157	251	49	42	38	58	15.3%	38.5%	46.1%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	31%
49	5,344.61	63.3	157	187	407	-159	248	50	42	37	58	15.6%	38.5%	46.0%	100.0%	26%	22%	20%	31%
50	5,349.43	63.9	157	186	407	-160	247	49	42	37	58	15.7%	38.5%	45.8%	100.0%	26%	22%	20%	31%
51	5,354.16	64.4	156	186	406	-161	245	48	43	36	58	15.8%	38.5%	45.7%	100.0%	26%	22%	20%	31%
52	5,358.61	65.0	156	185	406	-163	242	47	43	36	59	16.0%	38.5%	45.5%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	31%
53	5,363.44	65.2	156	184	405	-164	241	47	43	36	59	16.1%	38.5%	45.4%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
54	5,368.02	65.5	156	184	405	-164	241	47	43	36	58	16.2%	38.5%	45.3%	100.0%	25%	23%	19%	32%
55	5,372.52	66.1	156	183	405	-166	239	47	42	36	58	16.3%	38.5%	45.2%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
56	5,376.97	66.5	156	182	404	-167	237	47	41	35	58	16.5%	38.5%	45.0%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
57	5,381.33	67.1	156	181	404	-168	236	47	41	35	58	16.6%	38.5%	44.9%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	32%

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Year	Stage (ft amsl)	FLOW RATES (GPM)								RELATIVE PERCENT FLOWS									
		FLOW RATE per YEAR (gpm)				FLOW RATE per YEAR (gpm)				FLOW RATE per YEAR (percent)				PERCENT TOTAL GW INFLOW					
		Precipitation	Runoff	Groundwater	Total Inflow	Evaporation	Net Inflow	NE	SE	SW	NW	Precipitation	Runoff	Groundwater	Total Inflow	NE	SE	SW	NW
58	5,385.65	67.6	155	181	404	-169	234	47	41	35	57	16.7%	38.5%	44.8%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
59	5,389.92	67.9	155	180	403	-170	233	47	41	35	57	16.8%	38.5%	44.8%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
60	5,394.11	68.6	155	179	403	-172	231	46	41	35	57	17.0%	38.5%	44.5%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	32%
61	5,398.25	69.1	155	179	403	-173	229	45	41	34	57	17.2%	38.5%	44.4%	100.0%	25%	23%	19%	32%
62	5,402.32	69.6	155	178	402	-175	228	46	41	34	57	17.3%	38.5%	44.2%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
63	5,406.32	70.4	155	177	402	-177	226	45	41	34	57	17.5%	38.4%	44.1%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
64	5,410.24	71.0	154	177	402	-178	224	45	41	34	56	17.7%	38.4%	44.0%	100.0%	25%	23%	19%	32%
65	5,414.11	71.6	154	176	402	-190	222	45	41	34	56	17.8%	38.4%	43.8%	100.0%	25%	23%	20%	32%
66	5,417.93	72.1	154	176	402	-181	221	45	41	34	55	17.9%	38.4%	43.7%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	31%
67	5,421.67	72.9	154	175	402	-183	219	45	41	34	55	18.1%	38.3%	43.6%	100.0%	26%	23%	20%	32%
68	5,425.36	73.3	154	174	401	-184	217	44	41	34	56	18.3%	38.3%	43.4%	100.0%	25%	23%	20%	32%
69	5,429.03	73.5	154	174	401	-184	217	44	40	34	56	18.3%	38.3%	43.3%	100.0%	25%	23%	19%	32%
70	5,432.68	73.6	154	173	400	-185	216	44	40	34	55	18.4%	38.4%	43.3%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
71	5,436.30	73.8	154	173	400	-185	215	44	40	34	55	18.4%	38.4%	43.2%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
72	5,439.89	74.2	153	172	400	-186	214	43	40	34	55	18.5%	38.4%	43.2%	100.0%	25%	23%	20%	32%
73	5,443.44	74.6	153	172	399	-187	212	43	40	34	54	18.6%	38.4%	43.1%	100.0%	25%	23%	20%	32%
74	5,446.96	74.7	153	171	399	-187	212	43	40	34	54	18.7%	38.4%	42.9%	100.0%	25%	23%	20%	32%
75	5,450.43	75.4	153	170	399	-187	212	43	40	34	54	18.7%	38.4%	42.9%	100.0%	25%	23%	20%	32%
76	5,453.81	76.5	153	170	399	-192	207	44	39	33	55	18.9%	38.4%	42.7%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
77	5,457.12	77.2	152	169	399	-194	206	45	37	33	55	19.2%	38.3%	42.6%	100.0%	26%	22%	19%	32%
78	5,460.36	77.9	152	169	399	-195	204	45	37	32	55	19.3%	38.2%	42.5%	100.0%	26%	22%	19%	32%
79	5,463.50	78.4	152	169	399	-197	203	46	37	32	54	19.5%	38.2%	42.3%	100.0%	27%	22%	19%	33%
80	5,466.78	78.8	152	168	399	-198	201	45	36	32	54	19.6%	38.1%	42.2%	100.0%	27%	22%	19%	32%
81	5,469.92	79.2	152	167	399	-198	200	45	36	32	55	19.8%	38.1%	42.1%	100.0%	27%	22%	19%	32%
82	5,473.04	79.6	152	167	398	-200	199	43	37	32	55	19.9%	38.1%	42.0%	100.0%	27%	22%	19%	32%
83	5,476.12	79.9	152	167	398	-200	198	43	37	32	55	20.0%	38.1%	41.9%	100.0%	26%	22%	19%	32%
84	5,479.17	80.3	152	166	398	-201	196	43	37	32	54	20.1%	38.1%	41.8%	100.0%	26%	22%	19%	32%
85	5,482.18	80.0	151	166	398	-202	196	42	38	32	54	20.2%	38.1%	41.7%	100.0%	26%	22%	19%	32%
86	5,485.14	81.5	151	165	398	-204	194	42	37	32	54	20.3%	38.1%	41.6%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
87	5,488.08	81.6	151	165	398	-206	193	42	37	32	54	20.5%	38.0%	41.5%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	33%
88	5,491.00	81.8	151	164	397	-205	192	42	37	31	54	20.5%	38.0%	41.4%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	33%
89	5,493.90	82.1	151	164	397	-206	191	42	37	31	54	20.6%	38.0%	41.4%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	33%
90	5,496.77	82.4	151	163	397	-207	190	42	37	31	54	20.7%	38.1%	41.3%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	33%
91	5,499.61	82.8	151	163	397	-207	189	41	38	31	53	20.8%	38.0%	41.2%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
92	5,502.42	83.1	151	162	396	-208	188	42	38	31	52	20.9%	38.0%	41.1%	100.0%	25%	24%	19%	32%
93	5,505.19	83.9	150	162	396	-210	186	42	37	31	52	21.0%	38.0%	41.0%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
94	5,507.90	84.6	150	162	397	-212	185	41	38	31	52	21.2%	38.0%	40.9%	100.0%	26%	23%	19%	32%
95	5,510.59	84.9	150	161	396	-213	184	41	38	31	52	21.3%	37.9%	40.8%	100.0%	25%	23%	19%	32%
96	5,513.26	85.2	150	161	396	-214	182	41	38	30	52	21.4%	37.9%	40.7%	100.0%	25%	23%	19%	32%
97	5,515.90	85.6	150	160	396	-215	181	40	37	30	52	21.5%	37.9%	40.6%	100.0%	25%	23%	19%	32%
98	5,518.52	85.9	150	160	396	-215	180	41	37	30	52	21.6%	37.9%	40.5%	100.0%	25%	23%	19%	33%
99	5,521.12	86.1	150	160	396	-216	180	41	37	30	53	21.7%	37.9%	40.4%	100.0%	25%	23%	19%	33%
100	5,523.71	86.2	150	159	395	-216	179	40	37	30	52	21.8%	37.9%	40.4%	100.0%	25%	23%	19%	33%
110	5,548.27	88.1	149	157	394	-221	174	40	36	29	52	22.3%	37.6%	39.9%	100.0%	25%	23%	19%	33%
120	5,570.80	91.1	148	154	393	-222	165	39	36	29	50	23.2%	37.7%	39.1%	100.0%	25%	23%	19%	33%
130	5,591.03	95.1	147	151	393	-222	155	40	34	29	49	24.2%	37.4%	38.4%	100.0%	27%	22%	19%	32%
140	5,609.80	97.6	146	148	392	-245	147	37	34	28	49	24.6%	37.4%	37.7%	100.0%	25%	23%	19%	32%
150	5,627.17	100.2	146	145	391	-251	140	37	32	27	49	25.0%	37.3%	37.1%	100.0%	25%	22%	19%	34%
160	5,643.17	102.9	145	143	390	-258	132	37	31	26	49	26.4%	37.1%	36.5%	100.0%	26%	22%	18%	34%
170	5,657.97	105.5	144	140	390	-264	125	37	30	26	47	27.0%	36.9%	36.0%	100.0%	26%	21%	19%	34%
180	5,671.88	107.3	143	138	389	-269	120	37	29	26	46	27.6%	36.9%	35.5%	100.0%	27%	21%	19%	34%
190	5,684.63	110.1	143	136	388	-276	113	37	28	27	44	28.0%	36.7%	35.0%	100.0%	27%	21%	19%	33%
200	5,696.58	112.0	142	134	388	-281	108	37	26	27	44	28.6%	36.6%	34.6%	100.0%	26%	20%	20%	33%
210	5,707.80	113.7	142	132	388	-285	102	36	27	26	44	29.2%	36.5%	34.1%	100.0%	27%	20%	19%	33%
220	5,718.43	115.1	141	131	387	-289	98	35	26	25	44	29.8%	36.5%	33.8%	100.0%	27%	20%	19%	34%
230	5,728.41	116.8	141	129	386	-293	94	35	26	25	43	30.2%	36.4%	33.4%	100.0%	27%	21%	19%	34%
240	5,737.75	118.6	140	128	386	-297	89	34	27	24	42	30.7%	36.3%	33.0%	100.0%	27%	21%	19%	33%



Year	Stage (ft above) Groundwater flow by Discharge (gpm)	FLOW RATES (GPM)								RELATIVE PERCENT FLOWS							
		FLOW RATE per YEAR (gpm)				FLOW RATE per YEAR (gpm)				PERCENT TOTAL GWFLOW				PERCENT TOTAL GWFLOW			
		Prefiltration	Rainfall	Groundwater	Total inflow	Easopetrol	Net inflow	Rainfall	Groundwater	Total inflow	NE	SE	NW	SW	NE	SE	NW
<b>APPENDIX B Base case pilot filling water balance results</b>																	
820	5.90427	149.3	131	99	379	372	7	26	20	20	34%	39%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
830	5.90428	149.3	131	99	379	372	7	26	20	20	34%	39%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
840	5.90429	149.3	131	99	379	372	6	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
850	5.90430	149.3	131	99	379	372	5	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
860	5.90431	149.3	131	99	379	372	4	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
870	5.90432	149.3	131	99	379	372	3	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
880	5.90433	149.3	131	99	379	372	2	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
890	5.90434	149.3	131	99	379	372	1	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
900	5.90727	149.3	131	99	379	372	0	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
910	5.90728	149.3	131	99	379	372	-1	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
920	5.90729	149.3	131	99	379	372	-2	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
930	5.90730	149.3	131	99	379	372	-3	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
940	5.90731	149.3	131	99	379	372	-4	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
950	5.90732	149.3	131	99	379	372	-5	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
960	5.90926	149.3	131	99	379	372	-6	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
970	5.90927	149.3	131	99	379	372	-7	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
980	5.90928	149.3	131	99	379	372	-8	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
990	5.90929	149.3	131	99	379	372	-9	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1000	5.90930	149.3	131	99	379	372	-10	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1010	5.91122	149.3	131	99	379	372	-11	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1020	5.91123	149.3	131	99	379	372	-12	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1030	5.91124	149.3	131	99	379	372	-13	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1040	5.91125	149.3	131	99	379	372	-14	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1050	5.91126	149.3	131	99	379	372	-15	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1060	5.91127	149.3	131	99	379	372	-16	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1070	5.91128	149.3	131	99	379	372	-17	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1080	5.91129	149.3	131	99	379	372	-18	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1090	5.91130	149.3	131	99	379	372	-19	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1100	5.91131	149.3	131	99	379	372	-20	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1110	5.91132	149.3	131	99	379	372	-21	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1120	5.91133	149.3	131	99	379	372	-22	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1130	5.91134	149.3	131	99	379	372	-23	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1140	5.91135	149.3	131	99	379	372	-24	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1150	5.91136	149.3	131	99	379	372	-25	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1160	5.91137	149.3	131	99	379	372	-26	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1170	5.91138	149.3	131	99	379	372	-27	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1180	5.91139	149.3	131	99	379	372	-28	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1190	5.91140	149.3	131	99	379	372	-29	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1200	5.91141	149.3	131	99	379	372	-30	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1210	5.91142	149.3	131	99	379	372	-31	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1220	5.91143	149.3	131	99	379	372	-32	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1230	5.91144	149.3	131	99	379	372	-33	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1240	5.91145	149.3	131	99	379	372	-34	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1250	5.91146	149.3	131	99	379	372	-35	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1260	5.91147	149.3	131	99	379	372	-36	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1270	5.91148	149.3	131	99	379	372	-37	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1280	5.91149	149.3	131	99	379	372	-38	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1290	5.91150	149.3	131	99	379	372	-39	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1300	5.91151	149.3	131	99	379	372	-40	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1310	5.91152	149.3	131	99	379	372	-41	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1320	5.91153	149.3	131	99	379	372	-42	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1330	5.91154	149.3	131	99	379	372	-43	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1340	5.91155	149.3	131	99	379	372	-44	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1350	5.91156	149.3	131	99	379	372	-45	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1360	5.91157	149.3	131	99	379	372	-46	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1370	5.91158	149.3	131	99	379	372	-47	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1380	5.91159	149.3	131	99	379	372	-48	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1390	5.91160	149.3	131	99	379	372	-49	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1400	5.91161	149.3	131	99	379	372	-50	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1410	5.91162	149.3	131	99	379	372	-51	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1420	5.91163	149.3	131	99	379	372	-52	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1430	5.91164	149.3	131	99	379	372	-53	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1440	5.91165	149.3	131	99	379	372	-54	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1450	5.91166	149.3	131	99	379	372	-55	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1460	5.91167	149.3	131	99	379	372	-56	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1470	5.91168	149.3	131	99	379	372	-57	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1480	5.91169	149.3	131	99	379	372	-58	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1490	5.91170	149.3	131	99	379	372	-59	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1500	5.91171	149.3	131	99	379	372	-60	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1510	5.91172	149.3	131	99	379	372	-61	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1520	5.91173	149.3	131	99	379	372	-62	26	20	19	34%	38%	34%	34%	20%	24%	24%
1530	5.91174	149.3	131	99	379	372	-63	26	20	19	34						

Appendix G Case Case Plan Using Water Balance Results

Original data source: Intertom and Montgomery, 2009. Updated 14 March 2010.

#### **Appendix B Base case pit filling water balance results**

#### **Appendix A.1 (continued)**

**APPENDIX A.1 (continued)**

\*Apply percentages to derive chemistry for PIT WALL RUNOFF

**Appendix C**  
**Averaged humidity cell test data**

Appendix C Averaged humidity cell test data used for geochemical modeling (continued)

Geologic-Geochemical Material Type		Vinini Formation										
		Silica Vinini	Potassic Vinini	Potassic Vinini (PAG)	Phytic Vinini	Phytic Vinini (PAG)	Argilic Vinini	Argilic Vinini (PAG)	Biotite Vinini	Biotite Vinini (PAG)	Hornfels Vinini	Hornfels Vinini (PAG)
HCT Cell #s:		HCT 12	HCT 5	HCT 6	HCT 19	HCT 24	HCT 18, 9	HCT 31	HCT 5	HCT 6	HCT 19	HCT 24
Average HCT Specific Surface Area*	(m <sup>2</sup> /kg)	15	43	43	19	23	36	101	43	43	19	23
Mass in HCT	Kg	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5
Average leachate volume	liters	0.71	0.66	0.65	0.68	0.72	0.68	0.73	0.66	0.65	0.64	0.72
pH	su	7.6	7.5	3.0	7.6	3.1	5.2	3.3	7.5	3.0	7.6	3.1
Alkalinity as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	mg/L	38	27	0.0	30	0	26	0.0	27	0.0	30	0
Al	mg/L	0.029	0	3.5	0.026	43	0.77	21	0	3.5	0.025	43
Sb	mg/L	0.0032	0.0038	0.0061	0	0	0	0.0073	0.0038	0.0061	0	0
As	mg/L	0.29	0.014	0.22	0	1.015	0.0033	0.043	0.014	0.22	0	0.015
Ba	mg/L	0.0082	0.0096	0.012	0.019	1.031	0.014	0.015	0.0096	0.012	0.019	0.031
Be	mg/L	0	0	0.0062	0	1.023	0	0.0022	0	0.0092	0	0.023
Bi	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
B	mg/L	0.67	0	0	0.62	1.097	0.30	0.099	0	0	0.62	0.097
Cd	mg/L	0	0.00068	0.012	0.0016	1.031	0.011	0.25	0.00068	0.012	0.0016	0.031
Ca	mg/L	8.6	14	178	21	36	45	15	14	178	21	36
Cl	mg/L	1.8	1.4	6.3	1.6	1.6	1.6	0.71	1.4	6.3	1.6	1.6
Cr	mg/L	0	0	0.051	0	1.016	0.0019	0.012	0	0.051	0	0.016
Co	mg/L	0	0	0.069	0	1.21	0.079	0.22	0	0.069	0	0.21
Cu	mg/L	0	0	4.6	0	3.6	0.10	2.2	0	4.6	0	3.6
F	mg/L	0.80	1.1	1.3	0.76	2.1	0.53	3.6	1.1	1.3	0.76	2.1
Ga	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fe	mg/L	0.016	0	168	0.013	62	28	23	0	168	0.013	62
Pb	mg/L	0	0	0.19	0	1.083	0.040	0.019	0	0.19	0	0.083
Li	mg/L	0	0	0	0	1.19	0.039	0.068	0	0	0	0.19
Mg	mg/L	1.5	2.9	7.4	3.7	36	14	17	2.9	7.4	3.7	36
Mn	mg/L	0.012	0.067	4.0	0.069	4.1	68	1.0	0.067	4.0	0.069	4.1
Hg	mg/L	0.00014	0.00010	0.00015	0.000077	1.00010	0.00012	0.000093	0.00010	0.00015	0.000077	0.00010
Mo	mg/L	0.0092	0.46	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0	0	0
Ni	mg/L	0	0	0.097	0	1.2	0.14	0.89	0	0.097	0	1.2
N(5)	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N(3)	mg/L	0.0076	0.054	0	0	0	0.014	0.0090	0.054	0	0	0
K	mg/L	3.1	5.4	4.1	4.6	11	4.0	16	5.4	4.1	4.6	11
Sc	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Se	mg/L	0.0046	0.0037	0.0033	0.0052	1.019	0.011	0.0047	0.0037	0.0033	0.0052	0.019
Ag	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0	0.0041	0	0	0	0	0
Na	mg/L	7.6	3.7	1.0	7.9	3.9	5.7	2.3	3.7	1.0	7.9	5.9
Sr	mg/L	0	0.064	0.095	0.060	1.099	0.079	0	0.064	0.095	0.060	0.099
S(6)	mg/L	10	37	1340	61	318	477	631	37	1340	61	1318
Tl	mg/L	0	0	0.012	0	0	0.0022	0.0016	0	0.012	0	0
Sn	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ti	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
V	mg/L	0	0	0.0075	0.0079	1.018	0.017	0.0091	0	0.0075	0.0079	0.018
Zn	mg/L	0.0065	0.057	1.4	0.015	4.8	26	1.3	0.057	1.4	0.015	4.8

Appendix C Averaged humidity cell test data

Geologic-Geochemical Material Type	Early-phase Quartz Porphyry						Quartz Aplite Porphyry			Rhyolite							
	Silica Quartz Porphyry	Potassic Quartz Porphyry	Potassic Quartz Porphyry (PAG)	Phylic Quartz Porphyry	Argilic Quartz Porphyry	Biotite Quartz Porphyry	Silica Quartz Aplite Porphyry	Potassic Quartz Aplite Porphyry	Biotite Quartz Aplite Porphyry	Potassic Rhyolite	Potassic Rhyolite (PAG)	Phylic Rhyolite	Argilic Rhyolite	Argilic Rhyolite (PAG)			
HCT Cell #s	HCT 26	HCT 30	HCT 7, 29	HCT 16	HCT 14	HCT 2, 17	HCT 30	HCT 13, 22	HCT 23	HCT 23	HCT 25	HCT 28	HCT 25	HCT 1, 8	HCT 3, 4, 27		
Average HCT Specific Surface Area*	(m <sup>2</sup> /kg)	23	53	51	12	11	57	5	20	17	17	24	63	24	57	56	
Mass in HCT	Kg	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	
Average leachate volume	liters	0.72	0.72	0.69	0.72	0.72	0.66	0.72	0.70	0.69	0.69	0.69	0.73	0.69	0.64	0.68	
pH	su	6.8	5.7	4.6	6.8	3.7	6.7	57	5.5	5.8	5.6	5.2	5.6	6.7	3.6		
Alkalinity as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	mg/L	10	4.3	4.2	27	0.0	39	43	2.8	1.5	1.5	2.4	2.1	2.4	11	0.0	
Al	mg/L	0	1.8	5.1	0	4.0	0.043	18	4.1	1.3	1.3	1.8	0.53	1.8	0.068	27	
Sb	mg/L	0	0	0.0011	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
As	mg/L	0.010	0.0028	0.014	0.0033	0.0059	0.0076	0.028	0.0023	0.0089	0.0089	0	0.0028	0	0.0090	0.17	
Ba	mg/L	0.012	0.011	0.024	0	0.021	0.020	0.011	0.012	0.0057	0.0057	0	0.025	0	0	0.0078	
Be	mg/L	0	0.0011	0.00052	0	0	0	0.011	0	0.0065	0.0065	0.0012	0.00085	0.0012	0	0.0083	
Bi	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0.17	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
B	mg/L	0.49	0.091	0.034	0.094	0.061	0.044	0.091	0.028	0	0	0.060	0	0.060	0.031	0	
Cd	mg/L	0	0.0019	0.034	0.016	25	0.0017	0.019	0.017	0.0020	0.00198	0.0014	0.031	0.0014	0.0014	0.95	
Ca	mg/L	3.2	9.1	17	5.8	3.8	13	51	11	8.4	8.4	6.0	16	6.0	3.9	17	
Cl	mg/L	1.3	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.2	1.2	0.78	1.3	0.78	4.2	2.0	
Cr	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0.0044	0	3	0	0	0	0	0.0037	0	0	0.0067	
Co	mg/L	0	0.0066	0.015	0	0.040	0	0.066	0.019	0.0095	0.0095	0	0.11	0	0	0.10	
Cu	mg/L	0	0	0.89	0	81	0	3	0.27	0	0	0	0.14	0	0	0.62	
F	mg/L	0.79	7.1	12	0.66	1.2	3.3	7.1	12.3	4.9	4.9	8.1	0.72	8.1	8.1	6.7	
Ga	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Fe	mg/L	0.068	0.0098	0.28	0.0077	10	0.0069	0.0098	0.083	0.066	0.066	0.019	0.097	0.019	0.069	70	
Pb	mg/L	0	0	0.27	0	0.74	0	0	0.01323	0	0	0	0.012	0	0	0.056	
Li	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.066	
Mg	mg/L	0.80	1.7	2.7	1.1	1.2	2.8	17	1.3	1.3	1.3	0.48	6.4	0.48	1.9	8.9	
Mn	mg/L	0.034	0.56	1.1	0.14	0.50	0.61	0.56	0.44	0.72	0.72	4.3	51	4.3	0.058	32	
Hg	mg/L	0.00014	0.00010	0.00010	0.00011	0.00016	0.00011	0.00010	0.00011	0.000067	0.000067	0.000071	0.000016	0.000071	0.00013	0.000083	
Mo	mg/L	0	0.66	0.095	0.012	0	0.063	0.066	0.0062	0	0	0	0	0	0.026	0	
Ni	mg/L	0	0.014	0.034	0	0.050	0	0.014	0.027	0.012	0.012	0	0.11	0	0	0.14	
N(5)	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
N(3)	mg/L	0	0	0.011	0.014	0	0.035	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.039	0.027	
K	mg/L	4.5	9.6	9.1	3.3	5.9	3.4	6	2.3	4.6	4.6	6.0	16	6.0	2.8	8.1	
Sc	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Se	mg/L	0.0029	0	0.0015	0	0.00498	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.011	0	0	0.013	
Ag	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0035	0	0	0	
Na	mg/L	5.9	2.2	1.9	4.6	1.4	4.0	2.2	1.5	1.4	1.4	2.0	1.6	2.0	7.9	3.7	
Sr	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.048	
S(6)	mg/L	16.8	39	87	7.2	275	11	39	43	34	34	30	253	30	22	902	
Tl	mg/L	0	0	0	0.00034	0	0.0012	0	0	0.00048	0	0	0.0015	0.0012	0.0015	0.0020	
Sn	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Ti	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
V	mg/L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0073	0	0.0030	0.0087	
Zn	mg/L	0.011	0.97	2.5	0.17	8.3	0.044	0.97	4.6	1.4	1.4	2.3	23	23	2.3	0.073	79

Values not detected at the analytical detection limit (non-detects) were set to zero for modeling, as shown.

Original data source: SRK 2008

\* Average specific surface area estimates calculated based on grain size distribution analyses (Appendix F).

**Appendix D**  
**Mount Hope groundwater water quality**  
**data used in modeling**

**Appendix D Mount Hope groundwater water quality data used in modeling**

Parameter	Units	Water Quality for Groundwater Zones:			
		SE	SW	NW	NE
		231P (605')	PDT-1	PDT-2	PDT-3
		2/26/2008	6/2/2009	7/20/2009	7/2/2009
pH	pH Units	8.24	7.75	7.04	7.57
Electrical Conductivity	µmhos/cm	560	410	410	510
Total Suspended Solids (TSS)	mg/L	N/A	<10	<10	<10
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)	mg/L	350	280	280	340
Total Alkalinity	mg/L as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	170	47	110	110
Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	mg/L	200	58	140	130
Carbonate (CO <sub>3</sub> )	mg/L	2.4	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
Hydroxide (OH)	mg/L	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
Chloride	mg/L	20	12	5.4	12
Fluoride	mg/L	2.2	2.4	0.99	2.2
Sulfate	mg/L	99	150	100	130
Nitrate + Nitrite Nitrogen	mg/L	N/A	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Nitrate Nitrogen	mg/L	<1.0	N/A	N/A	N/A
Nitrite Nitrogen	mg/L	<0.010	N/A	N/A	N/A
Anions	meq/L	6.1	4.54	4.58	5.29
Cations	meq/L	5.4	4.05	4.36	5.15
Error	%	6.1	5.7	2.5	1.3
Aluminum, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.045	<0.045	<0.045	<0.045
Antimony, Dissolved	mg/L	0.013	<0.0025	0.0051	0.015
Arsenic, Dissolved	mg/L	0.01	0.0064	0.058	0.069
Barium, Dissolved	mg/L	0.022	0.01	0.012	0.023
Beryllium, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010
Bismuth, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Boron, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Cadmium, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010
Calcium, Dissolved	mg/L	70	50	63	72
Chromium, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0050
Cobalt, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010
Copper, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.050	<0.050	<0.050	<0.050
Gallium, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Iron, Dissolved	mg/L	0.14	0.1	0.52	0.86
Lead, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010
Lithium, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Magnesium, Dissolved	mg/L	13	6.8	7.8	9.6
Manganese, Dissolved	mg/L	0.34	0.019	0.28	0.43
Mercury, Dissolved	mg/L	0.00027	<0.00010	<0.00010	0.00023
Molybdenum, Dissolved	mg/L	0.038	0.033	0.019	0.014
Nickel, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010
Phosphorus, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50
Potassium, Dissolved	mg/L	3	2.1	2.4	8.4
Ryznar Stability Index	NA	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Selenium, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0050
Silver, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0050	<0.0050
Sodium, Dissolved	mg/L	17	24	11	10
Strontium, Dissolved	mg/L	0.13	0.96	0.15	0.18
Thallium, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.0010	<0.0010	<0.0010	0.0025
Tin, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Titanium, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Vanadium, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.010	0.013	0.018	0.025
Zinc, Dissolved	mg/L	<0.010	0.038	0.19	<0.010

Notes:

N/A: Indicates sample not collected/analyzed.

< Indicates parameter not detected at the method detection limit (MDL). Value shown is the MDL.

**Appendix E**  
**Example pit wall runoff/submergence**  
**chemistry scaling calculation**

**Appendix E Pit wall runoff/submergence scaling calculation example**

<b>HCT data (example)</b>		Effluent volume Mass in HCT	0.76 1.5	L kg	direct measurement from HCT test direct measurement from HCT test						
example specific surface area		20.0	mg/kg	value for each HCT calculated or based on grain size distribution data							
<b>Pit Wall Characteristics</b>											
	density	2430	Kg/m <sup>3</sup>	estimated based on a grain density of 2.7 and 10% porosity							
	specific surface area porosity in pit wall/benchies	2.94 28%	m <sup>2</sup> /kg	estimated using scaling factor of 6.8 from the specific surface area of the HCT estimated considering pit wall (lackles and fine grained material) on benches							
<b>Step 1: Normalize HCT chemical data based on HCT mass, HCT leachate volume, and HCT specific surface area estimate.</b>											
$\text{Normalized HCT (mg/m}^2\text{)} = \text{HCT concentration (mg/L)} \times \text{HCT leachate volume (L)} / \text{HCT specific surface area (m}^2/\text{kg)}$											
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<b>Step 2: Scale to pit wall rock based on normalized HCT concentration, and pit wall rock surface area and contact water volume</b>											
$\text{Scaled Concentration (mg/L)} = \text{Normalized HCT data (mg/m}^2\text{)} \times [\text{Pit wall rock surface area (m}^2\text{)} / (\text{Water volume in rock pore space (L)})]$											
$= \text{Normalized HCT data (mg/m}^2\text{)} \times [\text{Pit wall specific surface area (m}^2/\text{kg)} \times (\text{Mass of wall rock (kg)} / (\text{Mass of wall rock (kg)} \times \text{Rock density (kg/m}^3\text{)} \times \text{porosity (\%)})]$											
$= \text{Normalized HCT data (mg/m}^2\text{)} \times \text{Pit wall specific surface area (m}^2/\text{kg)} \times \text{Rock density (kg/m}^3\text{)} / \text{porosity (\%)}$											
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<b>Scaled concentration is approximately 70 percent of HCT concentrations</b>											

**Appendix F1**  
**HCT grain size data and surface area calculations**

**Appendix F1 Summary Table: HCT Surface Area Estimates based on grain size data calculations (HCT 1-31)**

HCT#	Lithology	Alteration	SPECIFIC SURFACE AREA (m <sup>2</sup> /kg)	Median (m <sup>2</sup> /kg)
HCT-1	rhylite tuff	argillic	5.7	
HCT-2	quartz porphyry	argillic	27.7	
HCT-3	rhylite tuff	argillic	88.3	
HCT-4	rhylite tuff	argillic	51.6	
HCT-8	rhylite tuff	argillic	11.2	
HCT-9	Vinini Formation	argillic	39.8	
HCT-17	quartz porphyry	argillic	58.2	
HCT-18	Vinini Formation	argillic	14.5	
HCT-27	rhylite tuff	argillic	53.2	
HCT-31	Vinini Formation	argillic	10.1	
HCT-14	quartz porphyry	phyllitic	11.4	
HCT-16	quartz porphyry	phyllitic	12.3	
HCT-19	Vinini Formation	phyllitic	19.3	
HCT-24	Vinini Formation	phyllitic	23.1	
HCT-25	rhylite tuff	phyllitic	23.6	
HCT-28	rhylite tuff	phyllitic	62.9	
HCT-5	Vinini Formation	potassic	42.9	
HCT-6	Vinini Formation	potassic	23.4	
HCT-7	quartz porphyry	potassic	15.1	
HCT-23	quartz aplite porphyry	potassic	16.9	
HCT-29	quartz porphyry	potassic	59.6	
HCT-30	quartz porphyry	potassic	53.1	
HCT-20	Vinini Formation	propylitic	13.7	
HCT-21	Vinini Formation	propylitic	8.1	
HCT-12	Vinini Formation	silicic	14.8	
HCT-13	quartz aplite porphyry	silicic	27.5	
HCT-16	quartz porphyry	silicic	15.3	
HCT-22	quartz aplite porphyry	silicic	12.2	
HCT-26	quartz porphyry	silicic	22.9	

These values calculated using MDAG Grain 3 spreadsheet to calculate specific surface area based on grain size distributions, assuming spheres.

This table presents a summary of specific surface area estimates for each HCT, based on grain size analyses (HCT 1 - 31). Individual grain size results and calculations for HCT 1-31 are provided in the sheets following this summary.

HCT I

**Appendix F1 Summary Table: HCT Surface Area Estimates based on grain size data calculations (H)**  
**A SPREADSHEET TO CALCULATE GRAIN-SURFACE AREA FROM SIEVE ANALYSES (from MDAG Publishing, www.mdag.com)**

Project:  
 Company:  
 Sample:  
 Comments:

Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	2	0.0001	0	4	5.55556E-08
	1.7	0.539	2	1.35	0.000767568
	0.85	0.163	7	1.275	0.000284096
	0.42	0.074	35	0.635	0.000258968
	0.212	0.046	42	0.316	0.000323488
	0.15	0.016	212	0.181	0.00019644
	0.075	0.025	15	0.1125	0.000493827
	0.053	0.009	75	0.064	0.0003125
	0.076	0	53	0.152	0
	0.054	0	53	0.108	0
	0.34	0.005208	53	0.0465	0.000248889
	0.029	0.00168	34	0.0345	0.000108213
	0.022	0.00448	29	0.0255	0.000390414
	0.018	0.00952	22	0.02	0.001057778
	0.014	0.00504	18	0.016	0.0007
	0.01	0.00112	14	0.012	0.000207407
	0.007	0.00056	1	0.0085	0.000146405
	0.005	0	0.007	0.006	0
	0.003	0	0.007	0.005	0
	0.001	0.000392	0.007	0.004	0.000217778
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0	0.001	0.0005	0
Total for Sample:		1.0001			0.005713825
Surface Area per kg:					5.71

**Appendix F1 Summary Table: HCT Surface Area Estimates based on grain size data calculations (H)**  
**A SPREADSHEET TO CALCULATE GRAIN-SURFACE AREA FROM SIEVE ANALYSES (from MDAG Publishing, www.mdag.com)**

Project:  
 Company:  
 Sample:  
 Comments:

Specific Gravity of Sample Solids: 2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	2	0.0001	0	4	5.55556E-08
	1.7	0.586	2	1.85	0.000703904
	0.85	0.177	1.7	1.275	0.000308497
	0.42	0.092	0.35	0.635	0.00032196
	0.212	0.055	0.42	0.316	0.000386779
	0.15	0.018	0.212	0.181	0.000220994
	0.075	0.024	0.15	0.1125	0.000474074
	0.053	0.008	0.075	0.064	0.000277778
	0.076	0	0.053	0.152	0
	0.054	0	0.053	0.108	0
	0.04	0.00664	0.053	0.0465	0.000317324
	0.029	0.004	0.04	0.0345	0.000257649
	0.022	0.0048	0.029	0.0255	0.000418301
	0.016	0.0056	0.022	0.019	0.000654971
	0.012	0.004	0.016	0.014	0.000634921
	0.009	0.004	0.012	0.0105	0.000846561
	0.006	0.0016	0.009	0.0075	0.000474074
	0.005	0.0016	0.008	0.0055	0.000646465
	0.003	0.0016	0.005	0.004	0.000888889
	0.001	0.0024	0.003	0.002	0.002666667
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.00376	0.001	0.0005	0.016711111
<b>Total for Sample:</b>		1.0001			0.027210972
<b>Surface Area per kg:</b>					27.21

HCT 3

**Appendix F1 Summary Table: HCT Surface Area Estimates based on grain size data calculations (H)**  
**A SPREADSHEET TO CALCULATE GRAIN-SURFACE AREA FROM SIEVE ANALYSES (from MDAG Publishing, www.mdag.com)**

Project:  
 Company:  
 Sample:  
 Comments:

Specific Gravity of Sample Solids: 2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	N <sup>t</sup> Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with N <sub>t</sub> > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
'300	0	0	0	200	0
50	0	0	0	100	0
25	0	0	0	50	0
'19	0	0	0	38	0
'13	0	0	0	26	0
2	0.0001	0	0	1	5.55556E-08
1.7	0.109	2	1.35	0.275	0.000130931
0.35	0.269	1.7	0.35	0.635	0.000468845
0.42	0.114	0.35	0.42	0.316	0.00039895
0.212	0.1	0.212	0.181	0.000703235	
0.15	0.037	0.075	0.064	0.000454266	
0.075	0.068	0.053	0.1125	0.00134321	
0.053	0.025	0.053	0.14	0.000868056	
0.07	0	0.053	0.053	0.106	0
0.053	0	0.053	0.0455	0.001439219	
0.038	0.029468	0.053	0.034	0.003997386	
0.03	0.06116	0.038	0.0275	0.008536566	
0.025	0.10564	0.03	0.0215	0.002873385	
0.018	0.0278	0.025	0.0155	0.000797133	
0.013	0.00556	0.018	0.011	0.001123232	
0.009	0.00556	0.013	0.008	0.001544444	
0.007	0.00556	0.009	0.006	0.002059259	
0.005	0.00556	0.007	0.004	0	
0.003	0	0.005	0.0035	0.003530159	
0.002	0.00556	0.005	0.002	0.0015	0
0.001	0	0.002	0.001	0.058071111	
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.026132	0.02	0.001	0.058071111
Total for Sample:		1.0001			0.088339442
Surface Area per kg:					88.33

**Appendix F1 Summary Table: HCT Surface Area Estimates based on grain size data calculations (HCT)**  
**A SPREADSHEET TO CALCULATE GRAIN-SURFACE AREA FROM SIEVE ANALYSES (from MDAG Publishing, www.mdag.com)**

Project:

Company:

Sample:

Comments:

Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	1.00	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	2	0.0001	0	4	3.55556E-08
	1.7	0.506	2	1.35	0.000607808
	0.35	0.197	7	1.275	0.000343355
	0.42	0.114	0.85	0.635	0.00039895
	0.212	0.056	0.42	0.316	0.000393812
	0.15	0.017	0.212	0.181	0.000208717
	0.075	0.028	0.15	0.1125	0.000553086
	0.053	0.013	0.075	0.064	0.000451389
	0.071	0	0.053	0.142	0
	0.052	0.00138	0.053	0.0525	5.84127E-05
	0.037	0.00276	0.052	0.0445	0.000137928
	0.029	0.01104	0.037	0.033	0.000743434
	0.021	0.00552	0.029	0.025	0.000490667
	0.016	0.01104	0.021	0.0185	0.001326126
	0.012	0.01242	0.016	0.014	0.001971429
	0.009	0.005934	0.012	0.0105	0.001255873
	0.007	0.00414	0.009	0.008	0.00115
	0.005	0.00138	0.007	0.006	0.000511111
	0.003	0.00138	0.005	0.004	0.000766667
	0.002	0.00138	0.003	0.0025	0.001226667
	0.001	0.00276	0.002	0.0015	0.004088889
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.007966	0.001	0.0005	0.03496
<b>Total for Sample:</b>		1.0001			0.051644275
<b>Surface Area per kg:</b>					<b>51.64</b>

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**Appendix F1 Summary Table: HCT Surface Area Estimates based on grain size data calculations (H)**  
**A SPREADSHEET TO CALCULATE GRAIN-SURFACE AREA FROM SIEVE ANALYSES (from MDAG Publishing, www.mdag.com)**

Project:  
 Company:  
 Sample:  
 Comments:

Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
'00	0	0	200	0	0
50	0	0	100	0	0
25	0	0	50	0	0
'9	0	0	38	0	0
'3	0	0	26	0	0
2	0.0001	0	4	5.55556E-08	0
1.7	0.427	2	1.85	0.000512913	0
0.35	0.204	1.7	1.275	0.000355556	0
0.42	0.076	0.35	0.635	0.000265967	0
0.212	0.055	0.42	0.316	0.000386779	0
0.15	0.016	0.212	0.181	0.00019644	0
0.075	0.023	0.15	0.1125	0.000454321	0
0.053	0.009	0.075	0.064	0.0003125	0
0.068	0	0.053	0.136	0	0
0.048	-0.00912	0.053	0.0505	0	0
0.035	0.0076	0.053	0.044	0.000383838	0
0.326	0.019	0.035	0.0305	0.001384335	0
0.021	0.0418	0.026	0.0235	0.003952719	0
0.017	0.0722	0.021	0.019	0.008444444	0
0.013	0.0418	0.017	0.015	0.006192593	0
0.01	0.00152	0.013	0.0115	0.00029372	0
0.007	0.00114	0.01	0.0085	0.000298039	0
0.005	0	0.007	0.006	0	0
0.003	0.0038	0.007	0.005	0.001688889	0
0.002	0.0038	0.003	0.0025	0.003377778	0
0.001	0	0.002	0.0015	0	0
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.00646	0.002	0.001	0.014355556
Total for Sample:		1.0001			0.042856441
Surface Area per kg:					42.85

**Appendix F1 Summary Table: HCT Surface Area Estimates based on grain size data calculations (H-SPREADSHEET TO CALCULATE GRAIN-SURFACE AREA FROM SIEVE ANALYSES (from MDAG Publishing, www.mdag.com))**

Project:

Company:

Sample:

Comments:

Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area ( $m^2$ )
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	2	0.0001	0	4	5.55556E-08
	1.7	0.554	2	1.35	0.000665465
	0.85	0.182	1.7	1.275	0.000317211
	0.42	0.087	0.85	0.835	0.000304462
	0.212	0.054	0.42	0.316	0.000379747
	0.15	0.023	0.212	0.181	0.000282382
	0.075	0.035	0.15	0.1125	0.000891358
	0.053	0.014	0.075	0.064	0.000486111
	0.078	0	0.053	0.156	0
	0.057	0	0.053	0.114	0
	0.042	0.015606	0.053	0.0475	0.000730105
	0.032	0.00714	0.042	0.037	0.000428829
	0.023	0.00612	0.032	0.0275	0.000494545
	0.017	0.0051	0.023	0.02	0.000566667
	0.013	0.00408	0.017	0.015	0.000604444
	0.009	0.00306	0.013	0.011	0.000818182
	0.007	0.00102	0.009	0.008	0.000283333
	0.005	0.00204	0.007	0.006	0.000755556
	0.003	0.00204	0.005	0.004	0.001133333
	0.002	0.00102	0.003	0.0025	0.000906667
	0.001	0.00102	0.002	0.0015	0.001511111
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)		0	0.002754	0.001	0.0005 0.01224
<b>Total for Sample:</b>		1.0001			0.023399565
<b>Surface Area per kg:</b>					23.40

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**Appendix F1 Summary Table: HCT Surface Area Estimates based on grain size data calculations (H-  
A SPREADSHEET TO CALCULATE GRAIN-SURFACE AREA FROM SIEVE ANALYSES from MDAG Publishing, www.mdag.com)**

Project:  
Company:  
Sample:  
Comments:

Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Mesn Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. < 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area m <sup>2</sup>
'00	0	0	0	200	0
50	0	0	0	100	0
25	0	0	0	50	0
'9	0	0	0	38	0
13	0	0	0	26	0
2	0.0001	0	0	1	5.55556E-08
'7	0.344	2	1.7	1.35	0.000773574
0.35	0.15	0.35	0.275	0.335	0.00261438
0.42	0.083	0.35	0.316	0.316	0.00290464
0.212	0.051	0.42	0.316	0.316	0.0035865
0.15	0.014	0.212	0.181	0.181	0.00171885
0.075	0.025	0.15	0.1125	0.1125	0.00493827
0.053	0.007	0.075	0.064	0.064	0.000243056
0.078	0	0.053	0.156	0.156	0
0.056	0	0.053	0.112	0.112	0
0.041	0.005876	0.053	0.347	0.347	0.000277825
0.03	0.00312	0.041	0.0355	0.0355	0.000195305
0.023	0.00312	0.03	0.0265	0.0265	0.000261635
0.017	0.00312	0.023	0.02	0.02	0.000346667
0.013	0.00364	0.017	0.015	0.015	0.000539259
0.009	0.0026	0.013	0.011	0.011	0.000525253
0.007	0.00208	0.009	0.008	0.008	0.000577779
0.005	0.00104	0.007	0.006	0.006	0.000385185
0.003	0.00052	0.005	0.004	0.004	0.000288889
0.001	0.00052	0.003	0.002	0.002	0.000577779
0.001	-0.00156	0.001	0.002	0.002	0
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.001924	0.001	0.0005	0.008551111
Total for Sample:		1.0001			0.015119632
Surface Area per kg:					15.12

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Specific Gravity of Sample Solids: 2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh Wt / (Wt. + 1)	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m²)
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	2	0.0001	0	4	5.55556E-08
	1.7	0.597	2	1.85	0.000717117
	0.35	0.147	1.7	1.275	0.000256209
	0.42	0.085	0.35	0.335	0.000297463
	0.212	0.051	0.42	0.316	0.00035865
	0.15	0.021	0.212	0.181	0.000257827
	0.075	0.022	0.15	0.1125	0.000434568
	0.053	0.009	0.075	0.064	0.0003125
	0.074	0	0.053	0.148	0
	0.053	0	0.053	0.106	0
	0.039	0.008568	0.053	0.046	0.000413913
	0.031	0.01904	0.039	0.035	0.001208889
	0.023	0.00544	0.031	0.027	0.000447737
	0.019	0.02992	0.023	0.021	0.003166138
	0.014	0	0.019	0.0185	0
	0.01	0	0.019	0.0145	0
	0.007	0.00136	0.019	0.013	0.000232479
	0.004	0.00136	0.007	0.0055	0.000549495
	0.003	0	0.004	0.0035	0
	0.001	0	0.004	0.0025	0
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.002312	0.004	0.002	0.002568889
Total for Sample:		0.0001			0.011221928
Surface Area per kg:					11.22

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Specific Gravity of Sample Solids: 2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area ( $\text{m}^2$ )
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	2	0.0001	0	4	5.55556E-08
	1.7	0.522	2	1.85	0.000627027
	0.35	0.134	1.7	1.275	0.000233551
	0.42	0.087	0.85	0.635	0.000304482
	0.212	0.063	0.42	0.316	0.000443038
	0.15	0.028	0.212	0.181	0.000343769
	0.075	0.04	0.15	0.1125	0.000790123
	0.053	0.02	0.075	0.084	0.000694444
	0.074	0	0.053	0.148	0
	0.055	0	0.053	0.11	0
	0.04	0.021836	0.053	0.0465	0.001043536
	0.031	0.01696	0.04	0.0355	0.001061659
	0.023	0.01696	0.031	0.027	0.001395885
	0.017	0.01484	0.023	0.02	0.001648889
	0.013	0.00636	0.017	0.015	0.000942222
	0.009	0.00636	0.013	0.011	0.001284848
	0.007	0.00424	0.009	0.008	0.001177778
	0.004	0	0.007	0.0055	0
	0.003	0.00424	0.007	0.005	0.001884444
	0.002	0.00424	0.003	0.0025	0.003768889
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.009964	0.002	0.001	0.022142222
Total for Sample:		1.0001			0.039786844
Surface Area per kg:					39.78

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Sample:

Comments:

Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

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Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	6.7	0	0	13.4	0
#4	4.75	0	0	9.5	0
#5	4	0	0	8	0
#6	3.36	0	0	6.72	0
#7	2.33	0	0	5.66	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	4.75	4.36853E-08
#10	2	51.4	2.38	2.19	0.052156266
#12	1.38		2	1.34	0
#14	1.14		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.395	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.34	31.3	2	1.42	0.048982736
#25	0.71		0.84	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.84	0.715	0
#35	0.5	3.2	0.84	0.57	0.020563847
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	4.7	0.5	0.355	0.02942097
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	1.3	0.21	0.1795	0.016094089
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	2.1	0.149	0.1115	0.041853513
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068	0
#270	0.053	0.7	0.074	0.0635	0.024496938
	0.046	0.2806	0.053	0.0495	0.012597082
	0.033	0.2277	0.046	0.0395	0.012810127
	0.024	0.3427	0.033	0.0285	0.026721248
	0.017	0.2277	0.024	0.0205	0.024682927
	0.013	0	0.017	0.015	0
	0.009	0.115	0.017	0.013	0.01965812
	0.006	0.1127	0.009	0.0075	0.033392593
	0.004	0.115	0.006	0.005	0.051111111
	0.003	0.115	0.004	0.0035	0.073015873
	0.001	0.2277	0.004	0.0025	0.2024
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.5359	0.003	0.0015	0.793925926
Total for Sample:		100.0001			148388346
Surface Area per kg:					14.84

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 Sample:  
 Comments:

Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area ( $m^2$ )
	.00	0	0	200	0
	.50	0	0	100	0
	.25	0	0	50	0
	.19	0	0	38	0
	.13	0	0	26	0
	.95	0	0	19	0
	.67	0	0	13.4	0
#4	4.75	0	0	9.5	0
#5	4	0	0	8	0
#6	3.36	0	0	6.72	0
#7	2.83	0	0	5.86	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	4.76	4.66853E-08
#10	2	48.2	2.38	2.19	0.048809183
#12	1.68		2	1.84	0
#14	1.41		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.595	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.84	26.3	2	1.42	0.041158059
#25	0.71		0.84	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.84	0.715	0
#35	0.5	6	0.84	0.57	0.019900498
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	5.8	0.5	0.355	0.036306729
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	1.4	0.21	0.1795	0.017332095
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	3	0.149	0.1115	0.059790732
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068	0
#270	0.053	1.4	0.074	0.0635	0.048993876
	0.039	1.4694	0.053	0.046	0.070985507
	0.029	0.79	0.039	0.034	0.051633987
	0.021	1.106	0.029	0.025	0.098311111
	0.016	0.948	0.021	0.0185	0.113873874
	0.012	0.948	0.016	0.014	0.15047619
	0.009	0.632	0.012	0.0105	0.133756614
	0.006	0.316	0.009	0.0075	0.09362963
	0.004	0.316	0.006	0.005	0.140444444
	0.003	0.158	0.004	0.0035	0.10031746
	0.001	0.474	0.004	0.0025	0.421333333
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.7426	0.003	0.0015	1.100148148
Total for Sample:	100.0001				2.747301519
Surface Area per kg:					27.47

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Project:

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Sample:

Comments:

Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	6.7	0	0	13.4	0
#4	4.75	0	0	9.5	0
#5	4	0	0	3	0
#6	3.36	0	0	3.72	0
#7	2.33	0	0	5.86	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	4.76	4.86853E-08
#10	2	45.2	2.38	2.19	0.045865043
#12	1.68		2	1.34	0
#14	1.41		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.595	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.84	23.2	2	1.42	0.036306729
#25	0.71		0.34	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.34	0.715	0
#35	0.5		0.34	0.87	0.037810945
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	8.5	0.5	0.355	0.040688576
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	2.1	0.21	0.1795	0.025998143
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	3.1	0.149	0.1115	0.061783757
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068	0
#270	0.053	1.2	0.074	0.0635	0.041994751
	0.038	0.9198	0.053	0.0455	0.044923077
	0.028	0.73	0.038	0.033	0.049158249
	0.021	1.022	0.028	0.0245	0.092698413
	0.017	3.066	0.021	0.019	0.358596491
	0.013	1.168	0.017	0.015	0.173037037
	0.009	0	0.013	0.011	0
	0.007	0	0.013	0.01	0
	0.005	0	0.013	0.009	0
	0.003	0	0.013	0.008	0
	0.001	0.146	0.013	0.007	0.046349206
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.2482	0.013	0.0065	0.084854701
Total for Sample:		100.0001			1140065165
Surface Area per kg:				11.40	

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 Comments:

Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Sieve Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area ( $m^2$ )
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	6.7	0	0	13.4	0
#4	4.75	0	0	9.5	0
#5	4	0	0	8	0
#6	3.36	0	0	6.72	0
#7	2.83	0	0	5.66	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	4.76	4.66853E-08
#10	2	48.6	2.38	2.19	0.049315088
#12	1.68		2	1.84	0
#14	1.41		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.595	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.84	23.2	2	1.42	0.036306729
#25	0.71		0.34	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.34	0.715	0
#35	0.5	6.5	0.34	0.57	0.021558872
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	6.6	0.5	0.355	0.041314554
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	2.8	0.21	0.1795	0.034664191
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	5.2	0.149	0.1115	0.10363727
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068	0
#270	0.053	2.2	0.074	0.0635	0.076990376
	0.044	1.2446	0.053	0.0485	0.057026346
	0.032	0.4263	0.044	0.038	0.024929825
	0.023	0.8575	0.032	0.0275	0.069292929
	0.017	0.5684	0.023	0.02	0.063155556
	0.013	0.5684	0.017	0.015	0.084207407
	0.009	0.1421	0.013	0.011	0.028707071
	0.006	0.2842	0.009	0.0075	0.084207407
	0.005	0.1421	0.006	0.0055	0.057414141
	0.003	0.2842	0.005	0.004	0.157888889
	0.001	0.0392	0.005	0.003	0.029037037
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.343	0.003	0.0015	0.508148148
Total for Sample:		100.0001			1.527801864
Surface Area per kg:					15.28

**GRAIN 3.0<sup>TM</sup>**

A SPREADSHEET TO CALCULATE GRAIN-SURFACE AREA FROM SIEVE ANALYSES from VDAG Publishing, www.vdag.com

Project:

Company:

Sample:

Comments:

Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	6.7	0	0	13.4	0
#4	4.75	0	0	9.5	0
#5	4	0	0	8	0
#6	3.36	0	0	6.72	0
#7	2.83	0	0	5.56	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	4.76	4.36853E-08
#10	2	43.1	2.38	2.19	0.043734145
#12	1.68		2	1.34	0
#14	1.41		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.595	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.84	21.5	2	1.42	0.033646322
#25	0.71		0.34	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.34	0.715	0
#35	0.5	11.6	0.34	0.87	0.038474295
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	9.2	0.5	0.355	0.057589984
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	1.8	0.21	0.1795	0.019808109
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	3.6	0.149	0.1115	0.071748879
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068	0
#270	0.053	1.4	0.074	0.0635	0.048993876
	0.051	0.528	0.053	0.052	0.022564103
	0.037	0.32	0.051	0.044	0.016161616
	0.029	1.44	0.037	0.033	0.096969697
	0.023	3.04	0.029	0.026	0.25982906
	0.018	2.08	0.023	0.0205	0.225474255
	0.013	0	0.018	0.0155	0
	0.009	0	0.018	0.0135	0
	0.007	0.16	0.018	0.0125	0.028444444
	0.005	0	0.007	0.006	0
	0.003	0	0.007	0.005	0
	0.001	0.16	0.007	0.004	0.088888889
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.272	0.007	0.3035	0.172698413
Total for Sample:		100.0001			1.225026134
Surface Area per kg:					12.25

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Project:

Company:

Sample:

Comments:

**Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:**

2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	6.7	0	0	13.4	0
#4	4.75	0	0	9.5	0
#5	4	0	0	8	0
#6	3.36	0	0	6.72	0
#7	2.83	0	0	5.86	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	4.76	4.66853E-08
#10	2	21	2.38	2.19	0.02130898
#12	1.68		2	1.84	0
#14	1.41		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.595	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.84	23.5	2	1.42	0.036776213
#25	0.71		0.84	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.84	0.715	0
#35	0.5	13.2	0.84	0.67	0.043781095
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	7.7	0.5	0.355	0.048200313
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	3	0.21	0.1795	0.037140204
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	4.4	0.149	0.1115	0.087693074
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068	0
#270	0.053	3.1	0.074	0.0635	0.108486439
	0.048	0.241	0.053	0.0505	0.010605081
	0.035	1.446	0.048	0.0415	0.077429719
	0.027	4.338	0.035	0.031	0.310987742
	0.021	6.748	0.027	0.024	0.624814815
	0.016	4.32	0.021	0.0185	0.578978979
	0.012	0.964	0.016	0.014	0.153015873
	0.009	1.446	0.012	0.0105	0.306031746
	0.006	0.482	0.009	0.0075	0.142814815
	0.004	0.482	0.006	0.005	0.214222222
	0.003	0	0.004	0.0035	0
	0.001	0.964	0.006	0.0035	0.512063492
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	2.169	0.004	0.002	2.41
Total for Sample:		100.0001			5.824330828
Surface Area per kg:					58.24

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A SPREADSHEET TO CALCULATE GRAIN-SURFACE AREA FROM SIEVE ANALYSES (from MDAG Publishing, www.mdag.com)

Project:

Company:

Sample:

Comments:

Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	'00	0	0	.200	0
	.50	0	0	.100	0
	.25	0	0	.50	0
	.19	0	0	.38	0
	.13	0	0	.26	0
	.095	0	0	.19	0
	.057	0	0	.134	0
#4	4.75	0	0	.95	0
#5	4	0	0	.8	0
#6	3.36	0	0	.672	0
#7	2.33	0	0	.566	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	.476	4.66853E-08
#10	2	28.5	2.38	2.19	0.02891933
#12	1.88		2	1.84	0
#14	1.41		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.595	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.34	38.9	2	1.42	0.060876369
#25	0.71		0.84	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.84	0.715	0
#35	0.5	15.2	0.84	0.67	0.050414594
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	8.3	0.5	0.355	0.051956182
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	2.6	0.21	0.1795	0.032188177
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	2.8	0.149	0.1115	0.055804684
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068	0
#270	0.053	0.3	0.074	0.0635	0.0279965
	0.047	0.7975	0.053	0.05	0.035444444
	0.034	0.2668	0.047	0.0405	0.014639232
	0.024	0.4031	0.034	0.029	0.030888889
	0.017	0.1334	0.024	0.0205	0.014460705
	0.013	0.1334	0.017	0.015	0.019782963
	0.009	0.1334	0.013	0.011	0.026949495
	0.006	0.1363	0.009	0.0075	0.040385185
	0.005	0.1334	0.006	0.0055	0.05389899
	0.003	0.1334	0.005	0.004	0.074111111
	0.001	0.1334	0.005	0.003	0.098814815
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.4959	0.003	0.0015	0.734666667
Total for Sample:		100.0001			1 452178379
Surface Area per kg:					14.52

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Project:  
 Company:  
 Sample:  
 Comments:

Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	'00	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	6.7	0	0	13.4	0
#4	4.75	0	0	9.5	0
#5	4	0	0	8	0
#6	3.36	0	0	6.72	0
#7	2.33	0	0	5.66	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	4.76	4.86853E-08
#10	2	29.6	2.38	2.19	0.030035515
#12	1.88		2	1.34	0
#14	1.41		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.595	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.84	32.7	2	1.42	0.051173709
#25	0.71		0.34	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.34	0.715	0
#35	0.5	16.8	0.34	0.67	0.055721393
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	3.8	0.5	0.355	0.061345853
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	2.9	0.21	0.1795	0.035902197
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	3.5	0.149	0.1115	0.069755855
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068	0
#270	0.053	1.2	0.074	0.0635	0.041994751
	0.046	0.931	0.053	0.0495	0.041795735
	0.033	0.2765	0.046	0.0395	0.015555556
	0.024	0.1365	0.033	0.0285	0.010643275
	0.017	0.413	0.024	0.0205	0.044769648
	0.012	0.1365	0.017	0.0145	0.02091954
	0.009	0.273	0.012	0.0105	0.057777778
	0.006	0.14	0.009	0.0075	0.041481481
	0.004	0.1365	0.006	0.005	0.060666667
	0.003	0.1365	0.004	0.0035	0.086666667
	0.001	0.2765	0.004	0.0025	0.245777778
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.644	0.003	0.0015	0.354074074
Total for Sample:		100.0001			1.926057517
Surface Area per kg:					19.26

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Project:

Company:

Sample:

Comments:

Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>-2</sup> )
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	6.7	0	0	13.4	0
#4	4.75	0	0	9.5	0
#5	4	0	0	8	0
#6	3.36	0	0	6.72	0
#7	2.93	0	0	5.86	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	4.76	4.66853E-08
#10	2	34.2	2.38	2.19	0.034703196
#12	1.68		2	1.84	0
#14	1.41		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.595	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.84	35.3	2	1.42	0.055242567
#25	0.71		0.84	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.84	0.715	0
#35	0.5	11.6	0.84	0.67	0.038474295
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	7.7	0.5	0.355	0.048200313
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	2.2	0.21	0.1795	0.02723615
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	3.5	0.149	0.1115	0.069755855
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068	0
#270	0.053	1.5	0.074	0.0635	0.052493438
	0.045	0.848	0.053	0.049	0.03845805
	0.032	0.532	0.045	0.0385	0.030707071
	0.024	0.664	0.032	0.028	0.052698413
	0.017	0.532	0.024	0.0205	0.057669377
	0.013	0.268	0.017	0.015	0.039703704
	0.009	0.132	0.013	0.011	0.026666667
	0.006	0.132	0.009	0.0075	0.039111111
	0.005	0.268	0.006	0.0055	0.108282828
	0.003	0.264	0.005	0.004	0.146666667
	0.001	0.04	0.005	0.003	0.02962963
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.32	0.003	0.0015	0.474074074

Total for Sample: 100.0001

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Surface Area per kg:

13.70

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Project:

Company:

Sample:

Comments:

Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with $Nt. > 0$	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area ( $m^2$ )
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	6.7	0	0	13.4	0
#4	4.75	0	0	9.5	0
#5	4	0	0	8	0
#6	3.36	0	0	8.72	0
#7	2.83	0	0	5.86	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	4.76	4.66853E-08
#10	2	30	2.38	2.19	0.0304414
#12	1.68		2	1.84	0
#14	1.41		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.595	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.84	35	2	1.42	0.054773083
#25	0.71		0.84	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.84	0.715	0
#35	0.5	13.9	0.84	0.87	0.046102819
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	8.5	0.5	0.355	0.053208138
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	2.3	0.21	0.1795	0.034664191
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	4.3	0.149	0.1115	0.095665172
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068	0
#270	0.053	1.5	0.074	0.0635	0.052493438
	0.047	1.0815	0.053	0.05	0.048066667
	0.034	0.7245	0.047	0.0405	0.039753086
	0.025	0.434	0.034	0.0295	0.032693032
	0.018	0.5775	0.025	0.0215	0.059689922
	0.013	0.147	0.018	0.0155	0.021075269
	0.009	0.1435	0.013	0.011	0.028989899
	0.007	0	0.009	0.008	0
	0.005	0	0.009	0.007	0
	0.003	0.2905	0.009	0.006	0.107592593
	0.001	0.042	0.009	0.005	0.018666667
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.0595	0.003	0.0015	0.088148148
Total for Sample:		100.0001			0.812023571
Surface Area per kg:					8.12

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Project:

Company:

Sample:

Comments:

Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	100	0	0	300	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	6.7	0	0	13.4	0
#4	4.75	0	0	9.5	0
#5	4	0	0	8	0
#6	3.36	0	0	3.72	0
#7	2.83	0	0	5.66	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	4.76	4.66853E-08
#10	2	23.5	2.38	2.19	0.023845764
#12	1.68		2	1.34	0
#14	1.41		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.595	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.84	32.7	2	1.42	0.051173709
#25	0.71		0.84	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.84	0.715	0
#35	0.5	10.1	0.84	0.87	0.033499171
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	7.9	0.5	0.355	0.049452269
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	6.6	0.21	0.1795	0.081708449
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	10.4	0.149	0.1115	0.207274539
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068	0
#270	0.053	3.5	0.074	0.0635	0.122484689
	0.043	1.8762	0.053	0.048	0.086861111
	0.033	1.3886	0.043	0.038	0.081204678
	0.024	0.5565	0.033	0.0285	0.043391813
	0.017	0.5565	0.024	0.0205	0.060325203
	0.013	0.2756	0.017	0.015	0.04082963
	0.009	0	0.013	0.011	0
	0.006	0.2809	0.013	0.0095	0.065707602
	0.004	0	0.006	0.005	0
	0.003	0	0.006	0.0045	0
	0.001	0	0.006	0.0035	0
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.3657	0.006	0.003	0.270888889
Total for Sample:		100.0001			1.219647564
Surface Area per kg:					12.19

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Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	6.7	0	0	13.4	0
#4	4.75	0	0	9.5	0
#5	4	0	0	8	0
#6	3.36	0	0	6.72	0
#7	2.53	0	0	5.86	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	4.76	4.66853E-08
#10	2	31.8	2.38	2.19	0.032064942
#12	1.68		2	1.84	0
#14	1.41		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.595	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.84	37.2	2	1.42	0.058215962
#25	0.71		0.84	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.84	0.715	0
#35	0.5	7.7	0.84	0.67	0.025538972
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	8.3	0.5	0.355	0.040688576
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	2.2	0.21	0.1795	0.02723615
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	5	0.149	0.1115	0.099651221
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068	0
#270	0.053	2.2	0.074	0.0635	0.076990376
0.039	1.5656	0.53	0.046	0.07563285	
0.03	1.216	0.039	0.0345	0.078325282	
0.022	1.216	0.03	0.026	0.103931624	
0.018	0.912	0.022	0.019	0.106666667	
0.012	0.76	0.016	0.014	0.120634921	
0.009	0.608	0.012	0.0105	0.128677249	
0.006	0.456	0.009	0.0075	0.135111111	
0.005	0.304	0.006	0.0055	0.122828283	
0.003	0	0.005	0.004	0	
0.001	0.304	0.005	0.003	0.225185185	
Passing Fines: Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.2584	0.005	0.0025	0.229688889
Total for Sample:	100.0001			1.887068305	
Surface Area per kg:				16.87	

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Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	6.7	0	0	13.4	0
#4	4.75	0	0	9.5	0
#5	4	0	0	3	0
#6	3.36	0	0	6.72	0
#7	2.83	0	0	5.86	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	4.76	4.86853E-08
#10	2	40.1	2.38	2.19	0.040690005
#12	1.68		2	1.84	0
#14	1.41		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.595	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.84	19.6	2	1.42	0.030672926
#25	0.71		0.34	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.84	0.715	0
#35	0.5	15.2	0.34	0.57	0.050414594
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	9.1	0.5	0.355	0.056964006
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	3.1	0.21	0.1795	0.038378211
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	4.2	0.149	0.1115	0.083707025
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068	0
#270	0.053	1.5	0.074	0.0635	0.052493438
	0.051	0.3744	0.053	0.052	0.016
	0.037	0.432	0.051	0.044	0.021818182
	0.028	0.864	0.037	0.0325	0.059078923
	0.021	0.864	0.028	0.0245	0.078367347
	0.016	0.864	0.021	0.0185	0.103783784
	0.012	1.152	0.016	0.014	0.182857143
	0.009	0.576	0.012	0.0105	0.121904762
	0.006	0.72	0.009	0.0075	0.213333333
	0.004	0.1008	0.006	0.005	0.0448
	0.003	0.144	0.004	0.0035	0.091428571
	0.001	0.432	0.006	0.0035	0.274285714
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.8768	0.004	0.002	0.752
Total for Sample:	100.0001			2.312979012	
Surface Area per kg:				23.13	

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Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	8.7	0	0	13.4	0
#4	4.75	0	0	9.5	0
#5	4	0	0	8	0
#6	3.36	0	0	6.72	0
#7	2.83	0	0	5.86	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	4.76	4.66853E-08
#10	2	27.2	2.38	2.19	0.027600203
#12	1.68		2	1.84	0
#14	1.41		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.595	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.84	33.4	2	1.42	0.05226917*
#25	0.71		0.34	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.34	0.715	0
#35	0.5	15	0.34	0.57	0.049751244
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	9.1	0.5	0.355	0.056964006
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	3.3	0.21	0.1795	0.040854225
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	3.8	0.149	0.1115	0.075734928
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068	0
#270	0.053	1.3	0.074	0.0635	0.045494313
	0.038	1.0074	0.053	0.0455	0.049201465
	0.028	0.552	0.038	0.033	0.037171717
	0.02	0.552	0.028	0.024	0.051111111
	0.015	0.328	0.02	0.0175	0.105142857
	0.012	1.242	0.015	0.0135	0.204444444
	0.009	0.966	0.012	0.0105	0.204444444
	0.006	0.69	0.009	0.0075	0.204444444
	0.004	0.138	0.006	0.005	0.061333333
	0.003	0.138	0.004	0.0035	0.087819048
	0.001	0.276	0.004	0.0025	0.245333333
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.5106	0.003	0.0015	0.756444444
Total for Sample:		100.0001			2.355358779
Surface Area per kg:					23.55

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Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh Wt. (Wt. > 0)	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	6.7	0	0	13.4	0
#4	4.75	0	0	9.5	0
#5	4	0	0	3	0
#6	3.36	0	0	6.72	0
#7	2.83	0	0	5.86	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	4.76	4.66853E-08
#10	2	38.3	2.38	2.19	0.038863521
#12	1.68		2	1.84	0
#14	1.41		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.595	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.84	29.5	2	1.42	0.046165884
#25	0.71		0.34	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.34	0.715	0
#35	0.5	11.9	0.34	0.67	0.03946932
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	7.8	0.5	0.355	0.048826291
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	2.8	0.21	0.1795	0.034664191
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	3.3	0.149	0.1115	0.065769806
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068	0
#270	0.053	1.1	0.074	0.0635	0.038495188
	0.041	0.6625	0.053	0.047	0.031323877
	0.03	0.6572	0.041	0.0355	0.04113928
	0.022	0.5247	0.03	0.026	0.044846154
	0.016	0.5247	0.022	0.019	0.061368421
	0.012	0.3922	0.016	0.014	0.062253968
	0.009	0.5194	0.012	0.0105	0.109925926
	0.006	0.3975	0.009	0.0075	0.117777778
	0.004	0.3498	0.006	0.005	0.155466667
	0.003	0.265	0.004	0.0035	0.168253968
	0.001	0.5247	0.004	0.0025	0.4664
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.4823	0.003	0.0015	0.714518519
Total for Sample:		100.0001			2.285528805
Surface Area per kg:					22.86

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Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0		Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>-2</sup> )
			Last Mesh	Wt. > 0		
	.00	0	0	0	200	0
	.50	0	0	0	100	0
	.25	0	0	0	50	0
	.19	0	0	0	38	0
	.13	0	0	0	26	0
	.095	0	0	0	19	0
	.067	0	0	0	13.4	0
#4	.475	0	0	0	9.5	0
#5	.4	0	0	0	8	0
#6	3.36	0	0	0	5.72	0
#7	2.83	0	0	0	5.66	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	0	4.76	4.66853E-08
#10	.2	10.4	2.38	2.19	0.010553019	
#12	.168		2	1.84		0
#14	.141		2	1.705		0
#16	.119		2	1.595		0
#18	.1		2	1.5		0
#20	.084	20.6	2	1.42	0.032237872	
#25	.071		0.34	0.775		0
#30	.059		0.34	0.715		0
#35	.05	13.3	0.34	0.87	0.044112769	
#40	.042		0.5	0.46		0
#45	.035		0.5	0.425		0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985		0
#60	.025		0.5	0.375		0
#70	.021	10.2	0.5	0.355	0.063849765	
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935		0
#100	0.149	3.8	0.21	0.1795	0.047044259	
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137		0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127		0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185		0
#200	0.074	8.2	0.149	0.1115	0.123567514	
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068		0
#270	0.053	2.9	0.074	0.0635	0.101487314	
	.05	1.956	0.053	0.0515	0.084401294	
	.037	2.608	0.05	0.0435	0.133231162	
	.029	9.128	0.037	0.033	0.614680135	
	.024	14.344	0.029	0.0265	1.202851153	
	.017	1.304	0.024	0.0205	0.141355014	
	.013	0	0.017	0.015		0
	.009	0	0.017	0.013		0
	.006	0	0.017	0.0115		0
	.004	0.652	0.017	0.0105	0.137989418	
	.003	0.652	0.004	0.0035	0.413968254	
	.001	0	0.017	0.009		0
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)		0	1.956	0.004	0.002	2.173333333
Total for Sample:			100.0001			5.324662322
Surface Area per kg:						53.25

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	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	6.7	0	0	13.4	0
#4	4.75	0	0	9.5	0
#5	4	0	0	3	0
#6	3.36	0	0	3.72	0
#7	2.83	0	0	5.66	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	4.76	4.66853E-08
#10	2	17.5	2.38	2.19	0.017757484
#12	1.68		2	1.84	0
#14	1.41		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.595	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.84	22.1	2	1.42	0.03458529
#25	0.71		0.84	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.84	0.715	0
#35	0.5	12.4	0.84	0.67	0.041127695
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	10.9	0.5	0.355	0.068231612
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	5.4	0.21	0.1795	0.066852368
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	6.7	0.149	0.1115	0.133532636
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068	0
#270	0.053	2.6	0.074	0.0635	0.090988626
	0.052	2.688	0.053	0.0525	0.113777778
	0.038	1.792	0.052	0.045	0.088493827
	0.028	1.792	0.038	0.033	0.120673401
	0.02	2.24	0.028	0.024	0.207407407
	0.015	2.688	0.02	0.0175	0.341333333
	0.012	3.136	0.015	0.0135	0.516213992
	0.008	2.24	0.012	0.01	0.497777778
	0.006	1.344	0.008	0.007	0.426666667
	0.004	0.896	0.006	0.005	0.398222222
	0.003	0.896	0.004	0.0035	0.568888889
	0.001	0.896	0.006	0.0035	0.568888889
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	1.792	0.004	0.002	1.391111111
<b>Total for Sample:</b>		100.0001			3.29253105
<b>Surface Area per kg:</b>					62.93

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Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Nt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	6.7	0	0	13.4	0
#4	4.75	0	0	9.5	0
#5	4	0	0	8	0
#6	3.36	0	0	6.72	0
#7	2.83	0	0	5.88	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	4.76	4.86853E-08
#10	2	22.1	2.38	2.19	0.022425165
#12	1.68		2	1.84	0
#14	1.41		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.595	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.84	21.5	2	1.42	0.033646322
#25	0.71		0.34	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.34	0.715	0
#35	0.5	14.6	0.34	0.67	0.048424544
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	11.6	0.5	0.355	0.072613459
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	4.5	0.21	0.1795	0.055710306
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	6.2	0.149	0.1115	0.123567514
#250	0.062		0.374	0.068	0
#270	0.053	2	0.374	0.0635	0.069991251
	0.052	2.975	0.353	0.0525	0.125925926
	0.038	0.7	0.352	0.045	0.034567901
	0.027	0.7	0.338	0.0325	0.047863248
	0.02	0.7	0.327	0.0235	0.066193853
	0.014	1.75	0.32	0.017	0.22875817
	0.011	2.1	0.314	0.0125	0.373333333
	0.008	1.75	0.311	0.0095	0.409356725
	0.006	2.1	0.308	0.007	0.868686867
	0.004	1.75	0.306	0.005	0.777777778
	0.003	0.7	0.304	0.0035	0.444444444
	0.001	0.35	0.306	0.0035	0.222222222
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	1.325	0.304	0.002	2.138888889
Total for Sample:		100.0001			5.962377764
Surface Area per kg:					59.62

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Specific Gravity of Sample Solids: 2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh Wt. (Wt. > 0)	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	100	0	0	200	0
	50	0	0	100	0
	25	0	0	50	0
	19	0	0	38	0
	13	0	0	26	0
	9.5	0	0	19	0
	6.7	0	0	13.4	0
#4	4.75	0	0	9.5	0
#5	4	0	0	8	0
#6	3.36	0	0	6.72	0
#7	2.83	0	0	5.66	0
#8	2.38	0.0001	0	4.76	4.66853E-08
#10	2	20.7	2.38	2.19	0.021004566
#12	1.68		2	1.34	0
#14	1.41		2	1.705	0
#16	1.19		2	1.595	0
#18	1		2	1.5	0
#20	0.84	22.2	2	1.42	0.034741784
#25	0.71		0.34	0.775	0
#30	0.59		0.84	0.715	0
#35	0.5	15.1	0.34	0.67	0.050082919
#40	0.42		0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35		0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297		0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25		0.5	0.375	0
#70	0.21	11.2	0.5	0.355	0.070109546
#80	0.177		0.21	0.1935	0
#100	0.149	4.4	0.21	0.1795	0.0544723
#120	0.125		0.149	0.137	0
#140	0.105		0.149	0.127	0
#170	0.088		0.149	0.1185	0
#200	0.074	6	0.149	0.1115	0.119581465
#250	0.062		0.074	0.068	0
#270	0.053	2.1	0.074	0.0635	0.073490814
	0.049	0.915	0.053	0.051	0.039869281
	0.035	0.366	0.049	0.042	0.019365079
	0.026	1.464	0.035	0.0305	0.106666667
	0.019	1.83	0.026	0.0225	0.180740741
	0.014	2.562	0.019	0.0165	0.345050505
	0.011	3.294	0.014	0.0125	0.5856
	0.008	3.294	0.011	0.0095	0.770526316
	0.006	1.464	0.008	0.007	0.464761905
	0.004	0.732	0.006	0.005	0.325333333
	0.002	0.5771	0.004	0.003	0.501555556
	0.001	0.732	0.006	0.0035	0.464761905
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.9699	0.004	0.002	1.077666667
Total for Sample:		100.0001			5.305381394
Surface Area per kg:					53.05

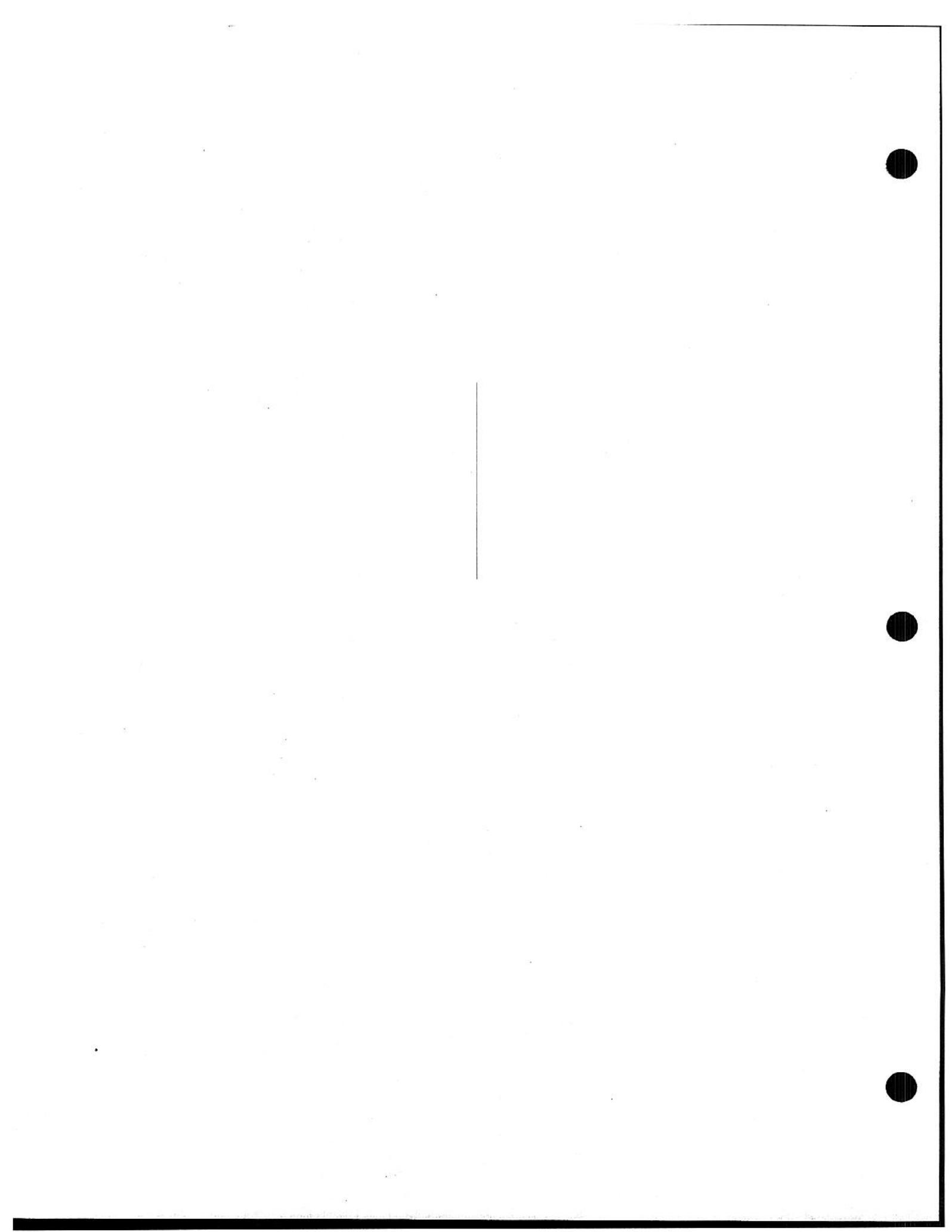
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Specific Gravity of Sample Solids: 2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	.200	0	0	200	0
	.160	0	0	160	0
	.125	0	0	125	0
	.100	0	0	100	0
	.083	0	0	83	0
	.063	0	0	63	0
	.050	0	0	50	0
	.040	0	0	40	0
	.033	0	0	33	0
	.025	0	0	25	0
	.020	0	0	20	0
	.017	0	0	17	0
	.014	0	0	14	0
	.012	0	0	12	0
	.010	0	0	10	0
	.008	0	0	8	0
	.006	0	0	6	0
	.005	0	0	5	0
	.004	0	0	4	0
	.003	0	0	3	0
	.002	0	0	2	0
	.001	0	0	1	0
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	3.3627	0.004	0.002	4.403
Total for Sample:	100.0001				10.0831912
Surface Area per kg:					100.83



**Appendix F2**  
**Pit wall grain size data estimates  
and surface area calculations**

## **Appendix F2 Summary Table: Pit wall surface area estimates based on literature grain size data**

### **Approach:**

A literature review was performed to obtain estimates for grain size distributions representative of pit walls and benches for the purpose of geochemical modeling. Due to the lack of information directly related to pit walls, it was assumed that waste rock pile grain size distributions would be used to approximate materials in pit walls and accumulation on benches over the time period of the geochemical model. The first literature source (Munroe et al., 1999) contained grain size distributions for 4 waste rock piles, and the other source (Shaw et al., 2002) reported an average specific surface area estimate for waste rock piles. The 4 grain size distribution data sets were used to calculate specific surface areas using the Grain 3.0 spreadsheet (mdag publishing). These data sheets are attached to this appendix. An overall average specific surface area estimate of 4.0 m<sup>2</sup>/kg was calculated using all data sources.

For the purpose of scaling laboratory chemical data, the average specific surface area estimate for waste rock piles was compared to the median value of specific surface area estimates measured in humidity cell tests (HCTs) of 27 m<sup>2</sup>/kg (Appendix F1). The ratio of these values (6.8) was used to represent the relationship between laboratory (HCTs) conditions and field conditions (pit wall). The scaling calculations are shown in Appendix E.

	Specific surface area	units	Notes:
Average value for four waste rock piles	3.6	m <sup>2</sup> /kg	Average of four waste rock piles (Munroe et al, 1999);
Reported value for one waste rock pile	5.9	m <sup>2</sup> /kg	Reported literature value for waste rock piles (Shaw et al, 2002)
Average value for five waste rock piles	4.0	m <sup>2</sup> /kg	Average of 5 waste rock piles (Munroe, 2002; Shaw, 1999);
Median HCT specific surface area value	27	m <sup>2</sup> /kg	Median value of HCT SpSA (4 lithologies);
Lab:Field factor used for scaling (see Appendix E)	6.8		Ratio of specific surface area estimates (HCT:WRP)

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## WRP-A (Munroe 1999)

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Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area ( $m^2$ )
	100,000	57.7	0	200000.000	6.41111E-07
	50	0	100000	50025.000	0
	25	0	100000	50012.500	0
	19	0	100000	50009.500	0
	13	0	100000	50006.500	0
	9.5	0	100000	50004.750	0
	6.7	0	100000	50003.350	0
#4	4.75	0	100000	50002.375	0
#5	4	0	100000	50002.000	0
#6	3.36	0	100000	50001.680	0
#7	2.83	0	100000	50001.415	0
#8	2.38	0	100000	50001.190	0
#10	2	0	100000	50001.000	0
#12	1.66	0	100000	50000.840	0
#14	1.41	0	100000	50000.705	0
#16	1.19	0	100000	50000.595	0
#18	1	7	100000	50000.500	3.11108E-07
#20	0.84	0	1	0.920	0
#25	0.71	0	1	0.855	0
#30	0.59	0	1	0.795	0
#35	0.5	9.7	1	0.750	0.028740741
#40	0.42	0	0.5	0.460	0
#45	0.35	0	0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297	0	0.5	0.399	0
#60	0.25	10.5	0.5	0.375	0.062222222
#70	0.21	0	0.25	0.230	0
#80	0.177	0	0.25	0.214	0
#100	0.149	0	0.25	0.200	0
#120	0.125	7.1	0.25	0.188	0.084148148
#140	0.105	0	0.125	0.115	0
#170	0.088	0	0.125	0.107	0
#200	0.074	0	0.125	0.100	0
#250	0.063	4.2	0.125	0.094	0.09929078
#270	0.06	3.80	0.063	0.062	0.13730804
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.00	0.06	0.030	0
Total for Sample:		100			0.411710883
Surface Area per kg:					4.12

Grain size data for four waste rock piles, from Munroe et al., 1999.		
Site A		
Grain size	mm	wt.%
>2	mm	57.700
<2	mm	42.3
2-1	mm	7
1-0.5	mm	9.7
0.5-0.25	mm	10.5
0.25-0.125	mm	7.1
0.125-0.063	mm	4.2
<0.063	mm	3.8
		100

## WRP-B (Munroe 1999)

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Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area ( $m^2$ )
	100,000	75.4	0	200000	8.37778E-07
	50	0	100000	50025	0
	25	0	100000	50012.5	0
	19	0	100000	50009.5	0
	13	0	100000	50006.5	0
	9.5	0	100000	50004.75	0
	6.7	0	100000	50003.35	0
#4	4.75	0	100000	50002.375	0
#5	4	0	100000	50002	0
#6	3.36	0	100000	50001.68	0
#7	2.83	0	100000	50001.415	0
#8	2.38	0	100000	50001.19	0
#10	2	0	100000	50001	0
#12	1.68	0	100000	50000.84	0
#14	1.41	0	100000	50000.705	0
#16	1.19	0	100000	50000.595	0
#18	1	6.5	100000	50000.5	2.88886E-07
#20	0.84	0	1	0.92	0
#25	0.71	0	1	0.855	0
#30	0.59	0	1	0.795	0
#35	0.5	6.2	1	0.75	0.01837037
#40	0.42	0	0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35	0	0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297	0	0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25	4.3	0.5	0.375	0.025481481
#70	0.21	0	0.25	0.23	0
#80	0.177	0	0.25	0.2135	0
#100	0.149	0	0.25	0.1995	0
#120	0.125	2.7	0.25	0.1875	0.032
#140	0.105	0	0.125	0.115	0
#170	0.088	0	0.125	0.1065	0
#200	0.074	0	0.125	0.0995	0
#250	0.063	1.9	0.125	0.094	0.044917258
#270	0.06	3.00	0.063	0.0615	0.108401084
	0.046	0.00	0.06	0.053	0
	0.033	0.00	0.06	0.0465	0
	0.024	0.00	0.06	0.042	0
	0.017	0.00	0.06	0.0385	0
	0.013	0.00	0.06	0.0365	0
	0.009	0.00	0.06	0.0345	0
	0.006	0.00	0.06	0.033	0
	0.004	0.00	0.06	0.032	0
	0.003	0.00	0.06	0.0315	0
	0.001	0.00	0.06	0.0305	0
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.00	0.06	0.03	0
Total for Sample:		100		0.22917132	
Surface Area per kg:				2.29	

Grain size data for four waste rock piles, from Munroe et al., 1999.		
Site B		
Grain size	wt.%	Site B
>2	mm	75.4
<2	mm	24.6
2-1	mm	6.5
1-0.5	mm	6.2
0.5-0.25	mm	4.3
0.25-0.125	mm	2.7
0.125-0.063	mm	1.9
<0.063	mm	3
		100

WRP-C (Munroe 1999)

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Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
	100,000	74.6	0	200000	8.28889E-07
	50	0	100000	50025	0
	25	0	100000	50012.5	0
	19	0	100000	50009.5	0
	13	0	100000	50006.5	0
	9.5	0	100000	50004.75	0
	6.7	0	100000	50003.35	0
#4	4.75	0	100000	50002.375	0
#5	4		100000	50002	0
#6	3.36	0	100000	50001.68	0
#7	2.83	0	100000	50001.415	0
#8	2.38	0	100000	50001.19	0
#10	2	0	100000	50001	0
#12	1.68	0	100000	50000.84	0
#14	1.41	0	100000	50000.705	0
#16	1.19	0	100000	50000.595	0
#18	1	5.8	100000	50000.5	2.57775E-07
#20	0.84	0	1	0.92	0
#25	0.71	0	1	0.855	0
#30	0.59	0	1	0.795	0
#35	0.5	5.4	1	0.75	0.016
#40	0.42	0	0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35	0	0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297	0	0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25	3.6	0.5	0.375	0.021333333
#70	0.21	0	0.25	0.23	0
#80	0.177	0	0.25	0.2135	0
#100	0.149	0	0.25	0.1995	0
#120	0.125	2.9	0.25	0.1875	0.03437037
#140	0.105	0	0.125	0.115	0
#170	0.088	0	0.125	0.1065	0
#200	0.074	0	0.125	0.0995	0
#250	0.063	3.1	0.125	0.094	0.073286052
#270	0.06	4.60	0.063	0.0615	0.166214995
	0.046	0.00	0.06	0.053	0
	0.033	0.00	0.06	0.0465	0
	0.024	0.00	0.06	0.042	0
	0.017	0.00	0.06	0.0385	0
	0.013	0.00	0.06	0.0365	0
	0.009	0.00	0.06	0.0345	0
	0.006	0.00	0.06	0.033	0
	0.004	0.00	0.06	0.032	0
	0.003	0.00	0.06	0.0315	0
	0.001	0.00	0.06	0.0305	0
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.00	0.06	0.03	0
Total for Sample:		100		0.311205838	
Surface Area per kg:				3.11	

Grain size data for four waste rock piles, from Munroe et al., 1999.		
Site C		
Grain size	mm	wt.%
>2	mm	74.600
<2	mm	25.4
2-1	mm	5.8
1-0.5	mm	5.4
0.5-0.25	mm	3.6
0.25-0.125	mm	2.9
0.125-0.063	mm	3.1
<0.063	mm	4.6
		100

WRP-D (Munroe 1999)

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Specific Gravity of Sample Solids:

2.7

Mesh Size	Sieve Diameter (mm)	Wt. Retained On Sieve (g)	Last Mesh with Wt. > 0	Average Particle Diameter (mm)	Calculated Grain-Surface Area ( $\text{m}^2$ )
	100,000	54.4	0	200000	6.0444E-07
	50	0	100000	50025	0
	25	0	100000	50012.5	0
	19	0	100000	50009.5	0
	13	0	100000	50006.5	0
	9.5	0	100000	50004.75	0
	6.7	0	100000	50003.35	0
#4	4.75	0	100000	50002.375	0
#5	4	0	100000	50002	0
#6	3.36	0	100000	50001.68	0
#7	2.83	0	100000	50001.415	0
#8	2.38	0	100000	50001.19	0
#10	2	0	100000	50001	0
#12	1.68	0	100000	50000.84	0
#14	1.41	0	100000	50000.705	0
#16	1.19	0	100000	50000.595	0
#18	1	9.1	100000	50000.5	4.0444E-07
#20	0.84	0	1	0.92	0
#25	0.71	0	1	0.855	0
#30	0.59	0	1	0.795	0
#35	0.5	11.3	1	0.75	0.033481481
#40	0.42	0	0.5	0.46	0
#45	0.35	0	0.5	0.425	0
#50	0.297	0	0.5	0.3985	0
#60	0.25	9.7	0.5	0.375	0.057481481
#70	0.21	0	0.25	0.23	0
#80	0.177	0	0.25	0.2135	0
#100	0.149	0	0.25	0.1995	0
#120	0.125	4.6	0.25	0.1875	0.054518519
#140	0.105	0	0.125	0.115	0
#170	0.088	0	0.125	0.1065	0
#200	0.074	0	0.125	0.0995	0
#250	0.063	5.6	0.125	0.094	0.132387707
#270	0.06	5.30	0.063	0.0615	0.191508582
	0.046	0.00	0.06	0.053	0
	0.033	0.00	0.06	0.0465	0
	0.024	0.00	0.06	0.042	0
	0.017	0.00	0.06	0.0385	0
	0.013	0.00	0.06	0.0365	0
	0.009	0.00	0.06	0.0345	0
	0.006	0.00	0.06	0.033	0
	0.004	0.00	0.06	0.032	0
	0.003	0.00	0.06	0.0315	0
	0.001	0.00	0.06	0.0305	0
Passing Finest Mesh (set Diameter = 0)	0	0.00	0.06	0.03	0
Total for Sample:		100			0.469378779
Surface Area per kg:					4.69

Grain size data for four waste rock piles, from Munroe et al., 1999).		
Site D		
Grain size >2 mm	mm	wt.%
<2	mm	48.6
2-1	mm	9.1
1-0.5	mm	11.3
0.5-0.25	mm	9.7
0.25-0.125	mm	4.6
0.125-0.063	mm	5.6
<0.063	mm	5.3
		100